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PREFACE

It is a privilege to offer the Pennsylvania Department of Corrections' 1988 Annual County Prison and Jail Statistical Report. This report contains a wide-range of statistical and demographic information on the Commonwealth's county prison and jail population.

In light of the ever-growing prison populations within our county and state correctional systems, it is essential that we better understand the characteristics of our local inmate population so that we can appropriately address the "correctional system" problem of overcrowding. In order to meet this end, this year's report contains more comprehensive data analyses and narrative. Additionally, where relevant, the data has been converted to graphic format in order to facilitate an informal review and understanding of the findings.

I hope that you find the report to be useful. As always, I want to thank the local correctional administrators and their staffs for submitting the data which are contained in this report.

Sincerely,

David S. Owens, Jr.
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EXPLANATORY NOTES

PURPOSE

This annual report provides summary data on the inmate populations within Pennsylvania's county prisons and jails.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Information contained in this report is based entirely upon statistical reports submitted to the Department of Corrections by the county prisons and jails on a monthly and quarterly basis. Once collected, the Department's Planning, Research, and Statistics Division is charged with editing, correcting, and summarizing the data for inclusion in this report.

DEFINITION OF TERMS

Committing County -- Where indicated, several tables which display detailed data on defendants sentenced to and released from county prisons and jails are compiled by the common pleas court or the "committing county."

Conditional Release -- This term identifies those parolees who are released under supervision of the Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole (PBPP) or who are paroled directly by the Court of Record (often referred to as "county parole"). Unless otherwise specified, these two groups of parolees are combined in this report.

County Prisons and Jails -- Generally, first through fifth class counties have "prisons" and sixth through eighth class counties have "jails". Local terminology may vary (e.g..., Allegheny County Jail). County prisons tend to be administered by a prison board and an appointed warden. County jails are usually administered by an elected sheriff. In recent years, the county prisons and jails have primarily received only the short-term sentenced prisoners and pre-trial detentioners.

Court Sentences -- This term identifies county prisoners committed by a Court of Record to serve sentences for felony and misdemeanor offenses.

Detentioners Received -- This term identifies those individuals detained prior to trial as well as other prisoners not sentenced directly to the local prisons where they are housed. Detentioners include those individuals who were: 1) held for trial, further hearing, or as a material witness, 2) held for various federal, state or other police authorities, and 3) held for mental examination or observation.

Detentioners Released -- This term identifies those individuals released by the following methods: 1) bail, 2) holding authority (i.e..., court, minor judiciary, coroner, etc.), 3) sentenced to local county prison, 4) sentenced to state correctional institutions, 5) sentenced to state regional correctional facilities, 6) released to various federal, state, and police authorities, and 7) released to mental health authorities.

Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) -- The Office of Management and Budget within the Federal Government has announced the designation of 257 Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs), 23 Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Areas (CMSAs), and 78 Primary Metropolitan Statistical Areas (PMSAs). An area qualifies as an MSA if there is a city with a population of at least 50,000 or an urbanized area of at least 50,000 with a total population of at least 100,000. If an area has more than one million population and meets certain criteria, that area is classified as a CMSA and its components are considered as PMSAs. MSAs and PMSAs are classified by size as follows:

- Level A - Areas of 1,000,000 or more
- Level B - Areas of 250,000 to 1,000,000
- Level C - Areas of 100,000 to 250,000
- Level D - Areas of Less than 100,000

Minor Judiciary Sentences -- This term identifies those individuals who receive sentences by the minor judiciary (i.e..., district magistrates, justices, etc.) for county prison commitment. [NOTE: The municipal court in Philadelphia County handles this type of case.]

Part I Offenses -- In general, Part I crimes are those serious offenses that are reported to law enforcement agencies and are commonly referred to as crime index offenses. Part I offenses consist of murder, manslaughter, forcible rape, robbery, aggravated assault, burglary, theft-larceny, motor-vehicle theft, and arson.

Part II Offenses -- Part II offenses include all other crimes which are not classified as Part I offenses.

Rate per 100,000 Civilian Population -- The rate represents the ratio of a prison population to the civilian population of the county.

Sentenced Prisoners -- Sentenced prisoners include both defendants sentenced by a Court of Record and the Minor Judiciary (i.e..., District Magistrates, Justices, etc.) to serve a sentence in a county prison or jail.

Unconditional Release -- This term identifies county prisoners who were given a final discharge and are no longer under any type of supervision after their release from county prison. Unconditional releases may result from: 1) expiration of a maximum sentence, 2) court order, 3) minor judiciary order, or 4) payment of fines and costs.

Yearly Average Daily Population -- This term represents the cumulative daily inmate population count, divided by the number of days in the calendar year.

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SECTION 1

HISTORY & TRENDS

HISTORICAL OVERVIEW

Pennsylvania County Prison and Jail System

For many years, county prisons and jails have played a vital role in the Commonwealth's correctional process. Unlike the unified state correctional system, however, Pennsylvania's county prison system is as diverse as the political and structural make-up of the 65 counties which operate county prisons.

In general, Pennsylvania's county prison system is responsible for the confinement of persons sentenced to prison terms of less than two years, while the state prison system confines persons convicted of crimes which carry a prison term of greater than two years. Like the state system, in recent years the county correctional system has been crippled by an increasing number of offenders and an insufficient amount of beds, staff, and programmatic resources.

The ever-increasing inmate population has forced Pennsylvania's county prison system to modernize. As recently as 1974, over one-half of the county prisons and jails were 100 years of age or older. Today, only 25 percent of the county prisons and jails established before 1890 are still operational. In an effort to respond to the increasing populations, twelve counties have constructed new facilities in the 1980s and another fourteen counties have significantly upgraded their existing county prisons. Unfortunately, the additional capacity of many of the newly constructed and renovated facilities has been quickly outdistanced by the growing county offender population (See Table 1.1).

County Statistical Report

Like the Pennsylvania county prison system, the county prison statistical program has been a mainstay within the correctional community for 141 years. County prison statistics were required by statute in Pennsylvania on February 27, 1847. At that time, the data was forwarded to the Secretary of the Commonwealth in the Pennsylvania Department of State. This program was transferred to the Pennsylvania Board of Public Charities in 1872 which, in 1921, was replaced by the Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare. The county prison statistical program was transferred to the Bureau of Corrections in the Pennsylvania Department of Justice in 1954. In 1984, the Bureau of Corrections was elevated to a cabinet-level department pursuant to Act 245 and, since that time, the county statistical program has been maintained within the Department of Corrections. Currently, the program operates within the Division of Planning, Research, and Statistics. The county statistical report is issued annually based on the monthly submissions from Pennsylvania's county prisons and jails.

POPULATION TRENDS

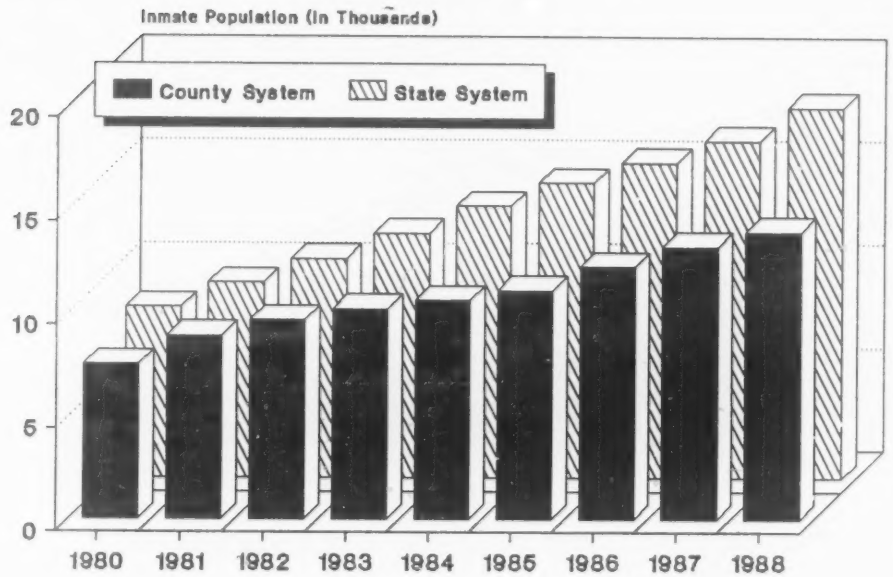
General Trend

Pennsylvania's county prisons and jails have experienced a significant population increase over the last ten years. From 1979 to 1988, the county prison system realized a total population increase of 107 percent and, in 1988, experienced an annual increase of 8.5 percent. The single largest population gain occurred between 1980 and 1981 when the population rose by over 18 percent (See Table 1.2). The burgeoning

population within the county correctional system has closely paralleled the population growth within the state correctional system during the same ten-year period (See Figure I).

FIGURE I

Population Trends within PA State and County Prison Systems 1980 to 1988



Average and Year-End Prison Populations

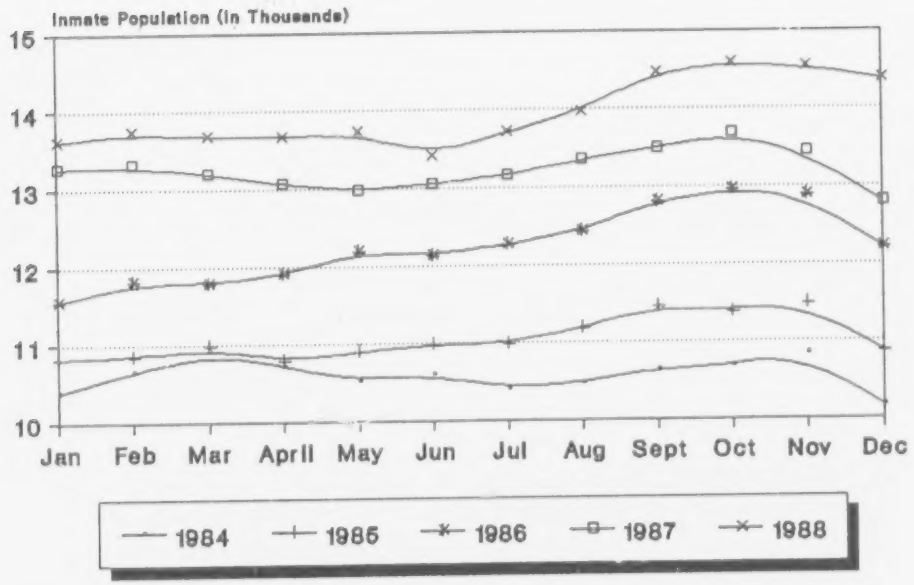
Table 1.3 presents the average population which was confined in Pennsylvania's county prisons and jails for calendar years 1987 and 1988. During this two year period, the most significant year-end population increases were noted in Berks (29.6%), York (28.2%), Delaware (20.8%), and Bradford (20.5%) counties. The largest decline in county prison population was reported by Fayette county which experienced a 20.9 percent decrease in the county prison population. Year-end populations for 1987 and 1988 are shown in Table 1.4.

Month-End County Prison Populations

Table 1.5 contains the month-end populations in county prisons and jails from January 1984 to December 1988, and Figure II graphically depicts the seasonality of the county prison admissions. Slight peaks in intakes occurred in March and April and again in September through December. It is also interesting to note that the population for each succeeding year was significantly higher than the population for the previous year, thereby causing the seasonal population trends to be overshadowed by the overall population gains. This trend clearly emphasizes the fast-paced population growth within Pennsylvania's county correctional system.

FIGURE II

Month-End Populations in County Prisons and Jails, January 1984 to December 1988



Commitment Activity by County Systems

Philadelphia and Allegheny county jail systems continue to house a considerable portion of the county offender population. In fact, as is shown in Table 1.6, from 1979 to 1987, Philadelphia and Allegheny county prisons, on the average, accounted for over 40 percent of all persons incarcerated in Pennsylvania's county prisons. The same trend held true for 1988, as all county prisons, excluding Philadelphia and Allegheny, explained only 64 percent of the county prison population.

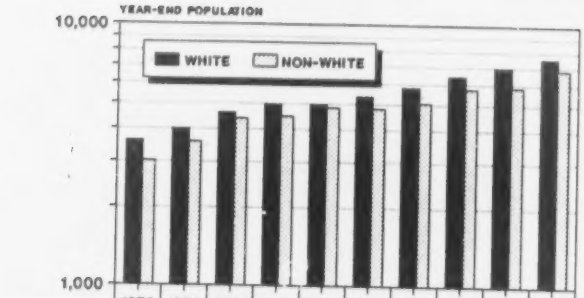
Population by Race

Tables 1.7 and 1.8 show the racial distribution within the county prison and jail population by committing county over the ten year period from 1979 to 1988. Philadelphia County has, by far, both the highest number (3,563) and percentage (81.9%) of non-whites inmates. Allegheny and Dauphin counties both house populations in which 62% of the inmates are non-white. Additionally, Allegheny County reports housing the second highest number of non-white inmates with 619.

Table 1.8 and Figure III compare the number of white inmates to the number of non-white inmates over the ten year period from 1979 to 1988. It is interesting to note that while the total county prison population has increased steadily over that time period, the relative proportion of whites to non-whites within the population has remained relatively constant.

FIGURE III

Population by Race
1979 to 1988



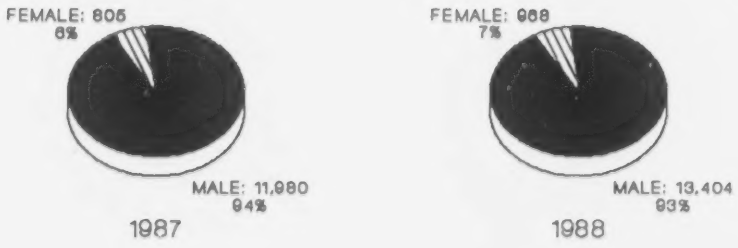
	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
WHITE	3,803	3,989	4,600	4,955	4,953	5,352	5,801	6,440	6,945	7,555
NON-WHITE	3,005	3,584	4,377	4,473	4,827	4,804	5,069	5,760	5,840	6,817

Population by Sex

Table 1.9 and Figure IV provide a breakdown of the county prison population by inmate sex. Currently, the male to female ratio in the county prisons and jails is 93 percent male to 7 percent female. This ratio represents a one percent shift from the 94 percent male to 6 percent female ratio reported in 1987.

FIGURE IV

Population by Sex
1987 v. 1988



Inmate Populations per 100,000 by Counties and MSA

Table 1.10 shows the number of inmates within each county on December 31 and the ratio of county prisoners per 100,000 civilian population. The statewide average inmate to civilian population ratio for 1988 was 119.7 per 100,000. Philadelphia County had the largest inmate to civilian population ratio with 264.1 inmates per 100,000 population.

Table 1.11 presents the number of inmates per 100,000 population by Metropolitan Statistical Areas. Again, as with Philadelphia County, the Philadelphia MSA reported the highest proportion of incarcerated individuals with 170.8 inmates per 100,000 civilian population.

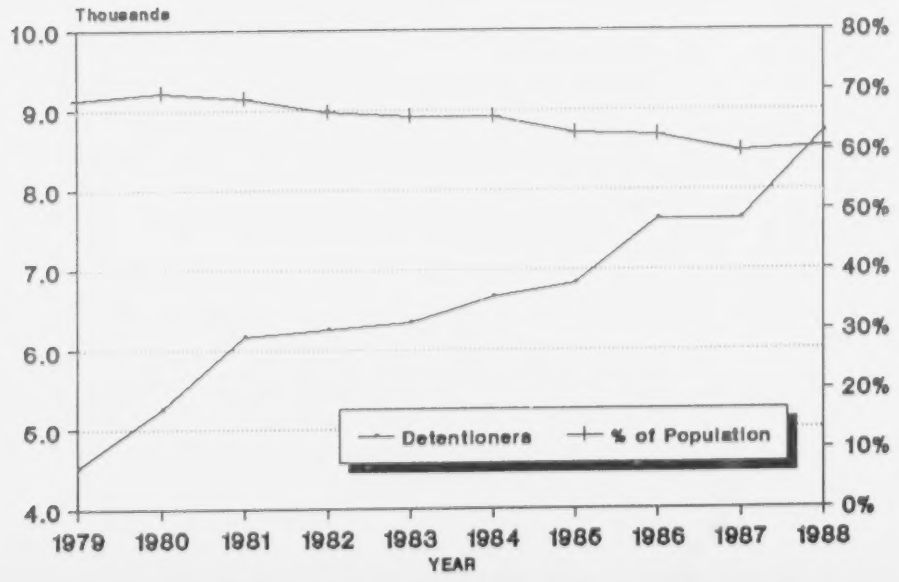
Detentioners within the Population

Detentioners are individuals held within county prisons and jails awaiting adjudication either on the local or state level. These individuals, who are not yet sentenced to a county facility, are held in detention and represent a considerable percentage of the county prison and jail population.

Table 1.12 presents 1987 and 1988 data on the status of prisoners by county, who were either sentenced to or held in detention in Pennsylvania's county prisons and jails. From 1987 to 1988, the average percentage of detentioners held within the counties was approximately 60 percent. As is shown in Table 1.13, the detention rate of 1987 and 1988 falls below previous year's levels. Figure V compares pre-trial detentioners confined in the county prison system from 1979 to 1988. As Figure V indicates, the total number of detentioners held by the counties has increased dramatically over the ten years. However, this dramatic increase has been offset by the large increase in overall inmate population. As a result, detentioners represent a decreasing percentage of the county inmate population from 1979 to 1988, although the overall number of detentioners has increased.

FIGURE V

Detentioners Confined in County Prison
1979 to 1988



SECTION ONE
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TABLE 1.1

Summary Information on Pennsylvania County Prisons and Jails

COUNTY	CLASS OF COUNTY	YEAR BUILT	1988 YEARLY AVERAGE DAILY POP.	AVERAGE COST PER DAY**
Adams	6	1947*	72	26.00
Allegheny	2	1888*	972	33.00
Armstrong	6	1871*	38	35.00
Beaver	4	1962	129	23.00
Bedford	7	1895	40	32.00
Berks	3	1931*	469	35.00
Blair	5	1868*	174	40.00
Bradford	6	1871	47	50.00
Bucks	3	1986	572	42.99
Butler	5	1956	107	40.00
Cambria	4	1890	109	22.00
Cameron	8	1867	4	95.00
Carbon	6	1869	44	30.00
Centre	5	1964*	66	40.00
Chester	3	1959	475	37.91
Clarion	7	1873	33	35.00
Clearfield	6	1981	114	25.00
Clinton	7	1851	35	35.00
Columbia	6	1876	62	20.26
Crawford	6	1849*	65	35.00
Cumberland	4	1986	193	40.00
Dauphin	4	1956*	449	40.00
Delaware	2A	1931*	715	45.00
Elk	7	1885	10	35.00
Erie	3	1975	251	35.70
Fayette	4	1883*	72	40.52
Forest	8	1895	(b)	289.76
Franklin	5	1972	115	34.00
Fulton	8	1851	(c)	(c)
Greene	7	1980	30	35.00
Huntingdon	6	1979	39	NA
Indiana	6	1973	47	38.00
Jefferson	6	1982	50	32.00
Juniata	8	1980	21	34.00
Lackawanna	4	1880	179	35.00
Lancaster	3	1850*	426	31.85
Lawrence	5	1964	85	14.83
Lebanon	5	1980	176	25.06
Lehigh	3	1867*	423	48.00
Luzerne	3	1868	264	31.59
Lycoming	5	1986	145	50.00
McKean	6	1880	24	35.00
Mercer	5	1976	67	32.00
Mifflin	6	1856*	42	35.00
Monroe	6	1988	71	49.50
Montgomery	2A	1986	687	32.49
Montour	8	1892	40	21.89
Northampton	4	1873*	333	40.00
Northumberland	5	1876	135	19.72
Perry	7	1900	11	NA
Philadelphia	1	***	4,044	61.10
Pike	8	1895	16	51.00
Potter	8	1863	8	35.00
Schuylkill	4	1854*	130	45.00
Snyder	7	1885	22	38.00
Somerset	6	1981	59	35.00
Sullivan	8	1895	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	7	1867	19	40.00
Tioga	7	1860	21	NA
Union	7	1972	20	75.00
Venango	6	1905	37	35.80
Warren	6	1980	74	36.25
Washington	4	1898	136	30.00
Wayne	7	1934	27	NA
Westmoreland	3	1976	102	35.04
Wyoming	8	1986	34	2.40
York	3	1979	441	27.40

NA - NOT AVAILABLE

* Adams	Renovated in 1986
Allegheny	Annex opened in 1986
Armstrong	Renovated in 1981
Berks	Renovated in 1983
Blair	Renovated in 1984
Centre	Renovated in 1987
Crawford	Renovated in 1987
Dauphin	Addition in 1986
Delaware	Renovated in 1987
Fayette	Renovated in 1964
Lancaster	Renovated in 1982
Lehigh	Renovated in 1982
Mifflin	Renovated in 1978
Northampton	Renovated in 1987
Schuylkill	Renovated in 1986

**As of January 1988. Data provided by Bureau of Special Services, Department of Corrections from questionnaire returned by counties.

***Philadelphia County Prison System - The House of Correction was built in 1927, Holmesburg in 1876, the Detention Center in 1963, and Philadelphia Industrial Correctional Center in 1986.

TABLE 1.2

Population Trends in Pennylvania County Prisons and Jails from 1979 to 1988

Year	Average Daily Population	Percent Change
1979	6,714	-
1980	7,493	11.6%
1981	8,851	18.1%
1982	9,622	8.7%
1983	10,146	5.4%
1984	10,568	4.2%
1985	11,044	4.5%
1986	12,200	10.5%
1987	13,195	8.2%
1988	13,917	5.5%

TABLE 1.3
Yearly Average Populations in Pennsylvania County Prisons and Jails, 1987 and 1988

COUNTY	1987	1988	CHANGE 1987 - 1988 AMOUNT	PERCENT
Adams	65	72	7	10.8%
Allegheny	979	972	-7	-0.7%
Armstrong	41	38	-3	-7.3%
Beaver	115	129	14	12.2%
Bedford	24	40	(a)	(a)
Berks	362	469	107	29.6%
Blair	164	174	10	6.1%
Bradford	39	47	8	20.5%
Bucks	536	572	36	6.7%
Butler	94	107	13	13.8%
Cambria	134	109	-25	-18.7%
Cameron	3	4	(a)	(a)
Carbon	46	44	-2	-4.3%
Centre	63	66	3	4.8%
Chester	455	475	20	4.4%
Clarion	24	33	9	(a)
Clearfield	115	114	-1	-0.9%
Clinton	31	35	4	12.9%
Columbia	53	62	9	17.0%
Crawford	56	65	9	16.1%
Cumberland	206	193	-13	-6.3%
Dauphin	437	449	12	2.7%
Delaware	592	715	123	20.8%
Elk	10	10	(a)	(a)
Erie	240	251	11	4.6%
Fayette	91	72	-19	-20.9%
Forest	(b)	(b)	(b)	(b)
Franklin	127	115	-12	-9.4%
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	30	30	0	0.0%
Huntingdon	33	39	6	18.2%
Indiana	51	47	-4	-7.8%
Jefferson	43	50	7	16.3%
Juniata	25	21	(a)	(a)
Lackawanna	173	179	6	3.5%
Lancaster	376	426	50	13.3%
Lawrence	73	85	12	16.4%
Lebanon	180	176	-4	-2.2%
Lehigh	358	423	65	18.2%
Luzerne	234	264	30	12.8%
Lycoming	132	145	13	9.8%
McKean	25	24	(a)	(a)
Mercer	67	67	0	0.0%
Mifflin	38	42	4	10.5%
Monroe	64	71	7	10.9%
Montgomery	589	687	98	16.6%
Montour	36	40	4	11.1%
Northampton	312	333	21	6.7%
Northumberland	127	135	8	6.3%
Perry	11	11	(a)	(a)
Philadelphia	4,092	4,044	-48	-1.2%
Pike	18	16	(a)	(a)
Potter	9	8	(a)	(a)
Schuylkill	116	130	14	12.1%
Snyder	21	22	(a)	(a)
Somerset	54	59	5	9.3%
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	14	19	(a)	(a)
Tioga	20	21	(a)	(a)
Union	19	20	(a)	(a)
Venango	39	37	-2	-5.1%
Warren	74	74	0	0.0%
Washington	128	136	8	6.3%
Wayne	27	27	0	0.0%
Westmoreland	104	102	-2	-1.9%
Wyoming	37	34	-3	-8.1%
York	344	441	97	28.2%
TOTAL	**13,195**	**13,917**	**722**	**5.5%**

TABLE 1.4

Populations in Pennsylvania County Prisons and Jails on December 31, 1987 and 1988

COUNTY	1987	1988	CHANGE 1987 - 1988 AMOUNT	PERCENT
Adams	54	74	20	37.0%
Allegheny	933	998	65	7.0%
Armstrong	41	32	-9	-22.0%
Beaver	131	127	-4	-3.1%
Bedford	34	50	16	47.1%
Berks	382	516	134	35.1%
Blair	156	167	11	7.1%
Bradford	40	56	16	40.0%
Bucks	537	570	33	6.1%
Butler	97	107	10	10.3%
Cambria	123	101	-22	-17.9%
Cameron	3	5	(a)	(a)
Carbon	45	48	3	6.7%
Centre	64	45	-19	-29.7%
Chester	454	457	3	0.7%
Clarion	30	20	-10	-33.3%
Clearfield	130	120	-10	-7.7%
Clinton	27	34	7	25.9%
Columbia	58	61	3	5.2%
Crawford	58	64	6	10.3%
Cumberland	191	191	0	0.0%
Dauphin	400	434	34	8.5%
Delaware	548	762	214	39.1%
Elk	9	10	(a)	(a)
Erie	230	244	14	6.1%
Fayette	82	57	-25	-30.5%
Forest	0	0	(a)	(a)
Franklin	96	105	9	9.4%
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	26	35	9	34.6%
Huntingdon	34	40	6	17.6%
Indiana	53	47	-6	-11.3%
Jefferson	45	52	7	15.6%
Juniata	16	25	(a)	(a)
Lackawanna	181	162	-19	-10.5%
Lancaster	380	424	44	11.6%
Lawrence	64	113	49	76.6%
Lebanon	170	188	18	10.6%
Lehigh	367	435	68	18.5%
Luzerne	224	283	59	26.3%
Lycoming	137	147	10	7.3%
McKean	18	22	(a)	(a)
Mercer	63	78	15	23.8%
Mifflin	32	34	2	6.3%
Monroe	71	120	49	69.0%
Montgomery	578	730	152	26.3%
Montour	30	30	0	0.0%
Northampton	280	347	67	23.9%
Northumberland	139	132	-7	-5.0%
Perry	12	12	(a)	(a)
Philadelphia	3,896	4,349	453	11.6%
Pike	18	14	(a)	(a)
Potter	10	9	(a)	(a)
Schuylkill	123	127	4	3.3%
Snyder	20	22	(a)	(a)
Somerset	51	56	5	9.8%
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	17	17	(a)	(a)
Tioga	16	14	(a)	(a)
Union	14	20	(a)	(a)
Venango	45	32	-13	-28.9%
Warren	71	82	11	15.5%
Washington	122	127	5	4.1%
Wayne	27	24	-3	-11.1%
Westmoreland	108	87	-21	-19.4%
Wyoming	35	32	-3	-8.6%
York	339	449	110	32.4%
TOTAL	**12,785**	**14,372**	**1,587**	**12.4%**

TABLE 1.5

Month-End Populations in County Prisons and Jails, January 1984 to December 1988

MONTH	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
JANUARY 31	10,386	10,822	11,556	13,270	13,619
FEBRUARY 28	10,660*	10,844	11,812	13,315	13,732*
MARCH 31	10,915	10,982	11,781	13,197	13,670
APRIL 30	10,723	10,786	11,897	13,062	13,668
MAY 31	10,521	10,895	12,184	12,976	13,715
JUNE 30	10,597	10,989	12,134	13,051	13,409
JULY 31	10,406	10,987	12,262	13,155	13,705
AUGUST 31	10,481	11,181	12,431	13,347	13,970
SEPTEMBER 30	10,648	11,453	12,804	13,485	14,462
OCTOBER 31	10,684	11,380	12,957	13,684	14,585
NOVEMBER 30	10,835	11,480	12,877	13,430	14,530
DECEMBER 31	10,156	10,870	12,200	12,785	14,372

* February 29

TABLE 1.6
COMPARISON OF AVERAGE DAILY POPULATION OF SELECT
COUNTY PRISONS, 1979 TO 1988

Year	All County Prisons	Philadelphia*	Allegheny	Remaining Total	County Prisons Percent of Total
1979	6,714	2,198	439	4,077	60.7%
1980	7,493	2,435	488	4,570	61.0%
1981	8,851	3,072	561	5,218	59.0%
1982	9,622	3,427	584	5,611	58.3%
1983	10,146	3,606	613	5,927	58.4%
1984	10,568	3,680	535	6,353	60.1%
1985	11,044	3,686	531	6,827	61.8%
1986	12,200	4,086	746	7,368	60.4%
1987	13,195	4,092	979	8,124	61.6%
1988	13,917	4,044	972	8,901	64.0%

* Represents the total of Holmesburg, House of Correction, Detention Center, and Philadelphia Industrial Correctional Center. Also includes Laurel Hill, Cannery, and YWCA, which hold work release prisoners.

TABLE 1.7
Populations in Pennsylvania County Prisons and Jails on December 31, 1987 and 1988, by Race

COUNTY	1987 WHITE	1987 NON-WHITE	1987 TOTAL	1988 WHITE	1988 NON-WHITE	1988 TOTAL	PERCENT NON-WHITE December 31st 1987	PERCENT NON-WHITE December 31st 1988
Adams	39	15	54	57	17	74	28%	23%
Allegheny	419	514	933	379	619	998	55%	62%
Armstrong	39	2	41	31	1	32	5%	3%
Beaver	87	44	131	85	42	127	34%	33%
Bedford	34	0	34	48	2	50	0%	4%
Berks	279	103	382	393	123	516	27%	24%
Blair	137	19	156	147	20	167	12%	12%
Bradford	40	0	40	56	0	56	0%	0%
Bucks	420	117	537	411	159	570	22%	28%
Butler	92	5	97	101	6	107	5%	6%
Cambria	103	20	123	76	25	101	16%	25%
Cameron	3	0	3	5	0	5	0%	0%
Carbon	44	1	45	47	1	48	2%	2%
Centre	63	1	64	43	2	45	2%	4%
Chester	286	168	454	274	183	457	37%	40%
Clarion	30	0	30	20	0	20	0%	0%
Clearfield	111	19	130	105	15	120	15%	12%
Clinton	27	0	27	33	1	34	0%	3%
Columbia	57	1	58	58	3	61	2%	5%
Crawford	51	7	58	54	10	64	12%	16%
Cumberland	171	20	191	150	41	191	10%	21%
Dauphin	131	269	400	164	270	434	67%	62%
Delaware	267	281	548	331	431	762	51%	57%
Elk	9	0	9	10	0	10	0%	0%
Erie	164	66	230	171	73	244	29%	30%
Fayette	70	12	82	47	10	57	15%	17%
Forest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%	0%
Franklin	71	25	96	85	20	105	26%	19%
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	26	0	26	34	1	35	0%	3%
Huntingdon	30	4	34	36	4	40	12%	10%
Indiana	51	2	53	43	4	47	4%	9%
Jefferson	40	5	45	43	9	52	11%	17%
Juniata	16	0	16	25	0	25	0%	0%
Lackawanna	161	20	181	138	24	162	11%	15%
Lancaster	221	159	380	236	188	424	42%	44%
Lawrence	44	20	64	90	23	113	31%	20%
Lebanon	160	10	170	178	10	188	6%	5%
Lehigh	198	169	367	262	173	435	46%	40%
Luzerne	204	20	224	257	26	283	9%	9%
Lycoming	122	15	137	129	18	147	11%	12%
McKean	18	0	18	21	1	22	0%	4%
Mercer	48	15	63	45	33	78	24%	42%
Mifflin	32	0	32	34	0	34	0%	0%
Monroe	62	9	71	103	17	120	13%	14%
Montgomery	316	262	578	429	301	730	45%	41%
Montour	25	5	30	27	3	30	17%	10%
Northampton	243	37	280	304	43	347	13%	12%
Northumberland	124	15	139	128	4	132	11%	3%
Perry	12	0	12	12	0	12	0%	0%
Philadelphia	712	3,184	3,896	786	3,563	4,349	82%	82%
Pike	17	1	18	14	0	14	6%	0%
Potter	10	0	10	9	0	9	0%	0%
Schuylkill	113	10	123	119	8	127	8%	6%
Snyder	19	1	20	22	0	22	5%	0%
Somerset	51	0	51	56	0	56	0%	0%
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	17	0	17	17	0	17	0%	0%
Tioga	16	0	16	14	0	14	0%	0%
Union	14	0	14	17	3	20	0%	15%
Venango	44	1	45	27	5	32	2%	16%
Warren	70	1	71	80	2	82	1%	2%
Washington	91	31	122	93	34	127	25%	27%
Wayne	27	0	27	24	0	24	0%	0%
Westmoreland	88	20	108	75	12	87	19%	14%
Wyoming	34	1	35	32	0	32	3%	0%
York	225	114	339	215	234	449	34%	52%
TOTAL	**6,945**	**5,840**	**12,785**	**7,555**	**6,817**	**14,372**	**46%**	**47%**

TABLE 1.8

Racial Distribution of Inmates Confined in Pennsylvania County Prison and Jails as of December 31, 1979 to 1988

Year	White	Percent	Non-White	Percent	Total
1979	3,603	54.5%	3,005	45.5%	6,608
1980	3,989	52.8%	3,564	47.2%	7,553
1981	4,600	51.2%	4,377	48.8%	8,977
1982	4,955	52.6%	4,473	47.4%	9,428
1983	4,953	50.6%	4,827	49.4%	9,780
1984	5,352	52.7%	4,804	47.3%	10,156
1985	5,801	53.4%	5,069	46.6%	10,870
1986	6,440	52.8%	5,760	47.2%	12,200
1987	6,945	54.3%	5,840	45.7%	12,785
1988	7,555	52.6%	6,817	47.4%	14,372

TABLE 1.9

Populations in Pennsylvania County Prisons and Jails on December 31, 1987 and 1988, by Sex

COUNTY	1987 MALE	1987 FEMALE	1987 TOTAL	1988 MALE	1988 FEMALE	1988 TOTAL
Adams	54	0	54	74	0	74
Allegheny	875	58	933	886	112	998
Armstrong	40	1	41	31	1	32
Beaver	119	12	131	115	12	127
Bedford	34	0	34	48	2	50
Berks	342	40	382	481	35	516
Blair	140	16	156	159	8	167
Bradford	40	0	40	56	0	56
Bucks	501	36	537	528	42	570
Butler	89	8	97	100	7	107
Cambria	118	5	123	91	10	101
Cameron	3	0	3	5	0	5
Carbon	42	3	45	44	4	48
Centre	64	0	64	45	0	45
Chester	428	26	454	440	17	457
Clarion	29	1	30	20	0	20
Clearfield	106	24	130	112	8	120
Clinton	27	0	27	34	0	34
Columbia	57	1	58	54	7	61
Crawford	55	3	58	56	8	64
Cumberland	180	11	191	176	15	191
Dauphin	369	31	400	403	31	434
Delaware	520	28	548	718	44	762
Elk	9	0	9	10	0	10
Erie	214	16	230	223	21	244
Fayette	78	4	82	57	0	57
Forest	0	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin	89	7	96	101	4	105
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	26	0	26	34	1	35
Huntingdon	34	0	34	40	0	40
Indiana	51	2	53	44	3	47
Jefferson	38	7	45	52	0	52
Juniata	16	0	16	25	0	25
Lackawanna	174	7	181	151	11	162
Lancaster	356	24	380	401	23	424
Lawrence	60	4	64	106	7	113
Lebanon	158	12	170	177	11	188
Lehigh	325	42	367	377	58	435
Luzerne	216	8	224	273	10	283
Lycoming	127	10	137	132	15	147
McKean	18	0	18	22	0	22
Mercer	61	2	63	76	2	78
Mifflin	23	9	32	33	1	34
Monroe	71	0	71	112	8	120
Montgomery	533	45	578	651	79	730
Montour	30	0	30	30	0	30
Northampton	257	23	280	326	21	347
Northumberland	120	19	139	116	16	132
Perry	12	0	12	12	0	12
Philadelphia	3,694	202	3,896	4,116	233	4,349
Pike	18	0	18	14	0	14
Potter	8	2	10	9	0	9
Schuylkill	120	3	123	122	5	127
Snyder	20	0	20	22	0	22
Somerset	51	0	51	53	3	56
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	17	0	17	17	0	17
Tioga	16	0	16	14	0	14
Union	14	0	14	20	0	20
Venango	43	2	45	29	3	32
Warren	69	2	71	79	3	82
Washington	112	10	122	118	9	127
Wayne	27	0	27	24	0	24
Westmoreland	102	6	108	80	7	87
Wyoming	32	3	35	32	0	32
York	309	30	339	398	51	449
TOTAL	**11,980**	**805**	**12,785**	**13,404**	**968**	**14,372**

TABLE 1.10
Number and Ratio of Prisoners Per 100,000 Civilian Population
on December 31, 1987 and 1988, by County

	1987		1988	
COUNTY	PRISONERS	RATIO*	PRISONERS	RATIO*
Adams	54	74.0	74	99.6
Allegheny	933	68.5	998	73.7
Armstrong	41	52.6	32	41.1
Beaver	131	68.8	127	66.9
Bedford	34	71.4	50	104.2
Berks	382	117.5	516	156.8
Blair	156	117.5	167	126.0
Bradford	40	62.5	56	86.8
Bucks	537	100.8	570	104.9
Butler	97	63.8	107	69.8
Cambria	123	71.7	101	59.4
Cameron	3	47.6	5	78.1
Carbon	45	81.5	48	85.5
Centre	64	55.8	45	38.9
Chester	454	127.0	457	124.7
Clarion	30	71.8	20	47.8
Clearfield	130	159.0	120	146.9
Clinton	27	71.4	34	89.4
Columbia	58	95.3	61	100.0
Crawford	58	67.2	64	74.4
Cumberland	191	99.3	191	97.8
Dauphin	400	167.5	434	180.3
Delaware	548	98.7	762	136.8
Elk	9	24.4	10	27.2
Erie	230	82.9	244	88.1
Fayette	82	53.8	57	37.4
Forest	0	0.0	0	0.0
Franklin	96	80.9	105	87.3
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	26	65.2	35	88.1
Huntingdon	34	79.3	40	92.7
Indiana	53	57.5	47	51.1
Jefferson	45	93.5	52	109.0
Juniata	16	79.7	25	123.3
Lackawanna	181	81.4	162	72.9
Lancaster	380	93.7	424	102.4
Lawrence	64	63.3	113	112.0
Lebanon	170	150.1	188	164.5
Lehigh	367	128.6	435	150.7
Luzerne	224	67.7	283	85.4
Lycoming	137	116.7	147	124.3
McKean	18	38.7	22	47.6
Mercer	63	51.3	78	63.7
Mifflin	32	68.8	34	72.8
Monroe	71	81.1	120	128.3
Montgomery	578	85.0	730	106.2
Montour	30	182.0	30	181.6
Northampton	280	117.0	347	142.4
Northumberland	139	141.5	132	134.2
Perry	12	30.1	12	29.4
Philadelphia	3,896	235.0	4,349	264.1
Pike	18	73.0	14	52.3
Potter	10	55.7	9	49.9
Schuylkill	123	79.9	127	82.4
Snyder	20	55.8	22	60.5
Somerset	51	63.4	56	69.6
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	17	42.0	17	41.6
Tioga	16	40.1	14	34.7
Union	14	40.6	20	57.3
Venango	45	73.3	32	52.4
Warren	71	155.3	82	179.8
Washington	122	58.2	127	60.7
Wayne	27	63.3	24	59.3
Westmoreland	108	28.5	87	23.0
Wyoming	35	125.3	32	112.8
York	339	102.6	449	133.6
TOTAL	**12,785**	**107.1**	**14,372**	**119.7**

* Ratios for 1987 and 1988 are based on population estimates for July 1, 1988.

TABLE 1.11
Incarceration Rates by Population for Metropolitan Statistical Areas

Metropolitan Statistical Area	Average Daily Prison Population	Civilian Population*	Incarceration Rate per 100,000
Allentown-Bethlehem MSA (Includes: Carbon, Lehigh & Northampton Counties)	800	588,450	135.95
Altoona MSA (Includes Blair County)	174	132,520	131.30
Erie MSA (Includes Erie County)	251	277,020	90.61
Harrisburg-Lebanon-Carlisle MSA (Includes Cumberland, Dauphin, Lebanon & Perry Counties)	829	591,120	140.24
Johnstown MSA (Includes Cambria & Somerset Counties)	168	250,610	67.04
Lancaster MSA (Includes Lancaster County)	426	414,120	102.87
Philadelphia MSA (Includes Bucks, Chester Delaware, Montgomery & Philadelphia Counties)	6,493	3,801,530	170.80
Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley MSA (Includes Allegheny, Beaver, Fayette, Washington & Westmoreland Counties)	1,411	2,284,100	61.77
Reading MSA (Includes Berks County)	469	329,100	142.51
Scranton MSA (Includes Columbia, Lackawanna, Luzerne, Monroe & Wyoming Counties)	610	736,640	82.81
Sharon MSA (Includes Mercer County)	67	122,380	54.75
State College MSA (Includes Centre County)	66	115,660	57.06
Williamsport MSA (Includes Lycoming County)	145	118,280	122.59
York MSA (Includes Adams & York Counties)	513	410,390	125.00
MSA Total	12,422	10,171,920	122.12
Outside MSA	1,495	1,830,140	81.69
Pennsylvania Total	13,917	12,002,060	115.96

*Civilian populations are based on population estimates for July 1, 1988.

TABLE 1.12

Status of Prisoners in Pennsylvania County Prisons and Jails on December 31, 1987 and 1988

COUNTY	1987 SENTENCED	1987 DETENTIONERS	1987 TOTAL	1988 SENTENCED	1988 DETENTIONERS	1988 TOTAL	PERCENT DETENTIONERS 1987	PERCENT DETENTIONERS 1988
Adams	26	28	54	39	35	74	51.9%	47.3%
Allegheny	132	801	933	136	862	998	85.9%	86.4%
Armstrong	20	21	41	19	13	32	51.2%	40.6%
Beaver	47	84	131	43	84	127	64.1%	66.1%
Bedford	16	18	34	14	36	50	52.9%	72.0%
Berks	138	244	382	230	286	516	63.9%	55.4%
Blair	95	61	156	93	74	167	39.1%	44.3%
Bradford	18	22	40	35	21	56	55.0%	37.5%
Bucks	310	227	537	333	237	570	42.3%	41.6%
Butler	30	67	97	33	74	107	69.1%	69.2%
Cambria	78	45	123	56	45	101	36.6%	44.6%
Cameron	1	2	3	1	4	5	(a)	(a)
Carbon	32	13	45	30	18	48	28.9%	37.5%
Centre	42	22	64	28	17	45	34.4%	37.8%
Chester	187	267	454	203	254	457	58.8%	55.6%
Clarion	21	9	30	11	9	20	30.0%	(a)
Clearfield	60	70	130	61	59	120	53.8%	49.2%
Clinton	15	12	27	20	14	34	44.4%	41.2%
Columbia	24	34	58	20	41	61	58.6%	67.2%
Crawford	28	30	58	40	24	64	51.7%	37.5%
Cumberland	135	56	191	118	73	191	29.3%	38.2%
Dauphin	235	165	400	198	236	434	41.3%	54.4%
Delaware	263	285	548	329	433	762	52.0%	56.8%
Elk	9	0	9	7	3	10	(a)	(a)
Erie	108	122	230	81	163	244	53.0%	66.8%
Fayette	10	72	82	11	46	57	87.8%	80.7%
Forest	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
Franklin	70	26	96	76	29	105	27.1%	27.6%
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	10	16	26	22	13	35	61.5%	37.1%
Huntingdon	11	23	34	14	26	40	67.6%	65.0%
Indiana	28	25	53	22	25	47	47.2%	53.2%
Jefferson	14	31	45	36	16	52	68.9%	30.8%
Juniata	10	6	16	17	8	25	37.5%	32.0%
Lackawanna	90	91	181	77	85	162	50.3%	52.5%
Lancaster	146	234	380	175	249	424	61.6%	58.7%
Lawrence	30	34	64	69	44	113	53.1%	38.9%
Lebanon	115	55	170	127	61	188	32.4%	32.4%
Lehigh	176	191	367	171	264	435	52.0%	60.7%
Luzerne	128	96	224	133	150	283	42.9%	53.0%
Lycoming	81	56	137	78	69	147	40.9%	46.9%
McKean	12	6	18	8	14	22	(a)	(a)
Mercer	23	40	63	17	61	78	63.5%	78.2%
Mifflin	19	13	32	18	16	34	40.6%	47.1%
Monroe	40	31	71	80	40	120	43.7%	33.3%
Montgomery	300	278	578	371	359	730	48.1%	49.2%
Montour	24	6	30	26	4	30	20.0%	13.3%
Northampton	242	38	280	168	179	347	13.6%	51.6%
Northumberland	63	76	139	66	66	132	54.7%	50.0%
Perry	6	6	12	6	6	12	(a)	(a)
Philadelphia	966	2,930	3,896	1,190	3,159	4,349	75.2%	72.6%
Pike	9	9	18	9	5	14	(a)	(a)
Potter	7	3	10	6	3	9	(a)	(a)
Schuylkill	63	60	123	79	48	127	48.8%	37.8%
Snyder	14	6	20	21	1	22	(a)	(a)
Somerset	27	24	51	28	28	56	47.1%	50.0%
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	12	5	17	9	8	17	(a)	(a)
Tioga	2	14	16	6	8	14	(a)	(a)
Union	7	7	14	11	9	20	(a)	(a)
Venango	24	21	45	17	15	32	46.7%	46.9%
Warren	44	27	71	46	36	82	38.0%	43.9%
Washington	53	69	122	72	55	127	56.6%	43.3%
Wayne	15	12	27	18	6	24	44.4%	(a)
Westmoreland	35	73	108	25	62	87	67.6%	71.3%
Wyoming	23	12	35	18	14	32	34.3%	43.8%
York	136	203	339	135	314	449	59.9%	69.9%
TOTAL	**5,155**	**7,630**	**12,785**	**5,656**	**8,716**	**14,372**	**59.7%**	**60.6%**

TABLE 1.13

Detentioners Confined in County Prisons and Jails on December 31, 1979 to 1988

Year	Number of Detentioners	Percent of Total Population
1979	4,519	68.4%
1980	5,256	59.6%
1981	6,171	68.7%
1982	6,247	66.3%
1983	6,341	65.5%
1984	6,658	65.6%
1985	6,834	62.9%
1986	7,620	62.5%
1987	7,630	59.7%
1988	8,716	60.6%

SECTION 2

RECEPTIONS

COUNTY PRISON AND JAIL RECEPTIONS

Overview

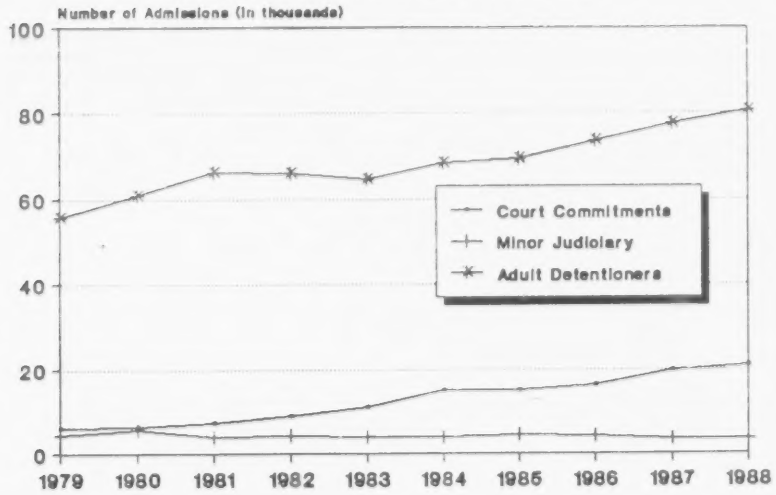
This section presents data on receptions to the Pennsylvania county prison system. Receptions include: 1) court commitments, 2) minor judiciary commitments, and 3) adult detentioners. Information is provided concerning types of admissions, the offenses for which the prisoners were incarcerated, the distribution of maximum sentences, the number of detentioners received, and the age distribution of those incarcerated.

Major Types of Admissions

As is shown in Figure VI, in 1988, the county prison system received nearly 105,000 offenders. Seventy-seven percent (77%) of the admissions were adult detentioners. Of the remaining 23 percent of admissions, 20 percent were accounted for by court commitments and three percent (3%) were explained by minor judiciary commitments. Since 1979, the number of admissions to the county prison system has increased by 58 percent and, in fact, the number of adult detentioners received in 1988, alone, exceeded the total number of admissions in 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, and 1983.

FIGURE VI

Admission Trends in Pennsylvania
County Prisons and Jails 1979 to 1988



Court Commitments by Committing County

Table 2.1 shows the number of persons committed to the county prison system by the court of records or the minor judiciary in 1987 and 1988. The cross-county total reveals a six percent (6%) increase in the number of court commitments, from 19,581 in 1987 to 20,813 in 1988. During the same time period, there was a slight decrease in the number of commitments by the minor judiciary. The figures also indicate that

Allegheny, Bucks, Montgomery, and Philadelphia counties continue to lead all other counties in the number of annual court commitments. In addition to these perennial commitment leaders, in 1988, the Delaware county prison system reported a 28 percent increase in the number of court commitments, raising its annual total from 881 in 1987 to 1,130 in 1988.

Pre-Trial Detentioners

Table 2.2 contains information on pre-trial detentioners received in the Pennsylvania county prisons and jails in 1988. Ninety percent (90%) of pre-trial detentioners received into the county prison system were held for trial or further hearings, nine percent (9%) were held for various authorities, and the remaining one percent was held for mental examinations. Philadelphia and Allegheny county prisons account for 24 percent and 14 percent of the total number of detentioners received into the county prison system. Other counties which received more than 2,000 detentioners in 1988 include: Berks, Bucks, Chester, Dauphin, Delaware, Lehigh, Montgomery, and York counties.

Prisoners Received for Part I Offenses

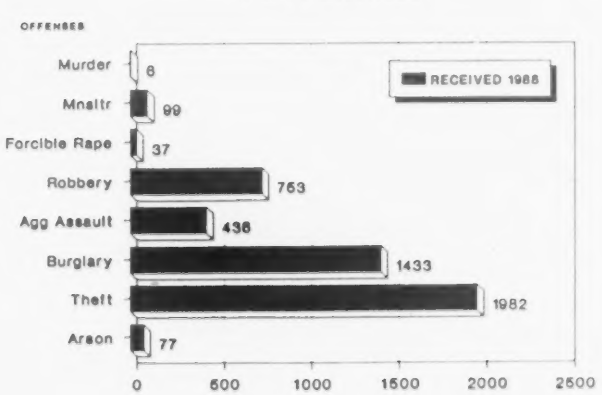
By far the two most common Part I offenses for which prisoners are remanded into county custody are theft and burglary. As Table 2.3 and Figure VII show, in 1988, these two offenses alone accounted for 3,415 offenders or approximately 71% of all 1988 Part I receptions within the county prison and jail system.

Additionally, robbery and aggravated assault explained a combined total of 1,201 county intakes. Conversely, murder and forcible rape accounted for a very small portion of county intakes, resulting from the low occurrence of these offenses in comparison to other Part I offenses and the fact that these offenses usually receive sentences which exceed two years. Thus, most murder and forcible rape offenders are transferred to the state correctional system.

It is interesting to note that 69 of the 99 prisoners (69.7%) sentenced to county prisons and jails in 1988 on the charge of manslaughter were also convicted of homicide by motor vehicle (Table 2.3). This mirrors the increase of county intakes for DUI offenders and the trend towards harsher punishments for alcohol related driving offenses.

FIGURE VII

Prisoners Received Into Counties: 1988
Part I Offenses

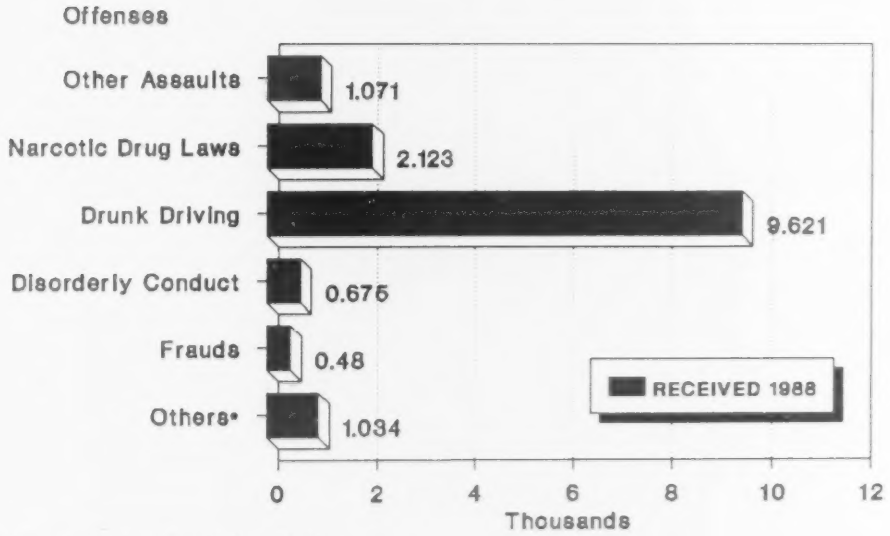


Prisoners Received for Part II Offenses

Table 2.4 and Figure VIII present 1988 data on the number of sentenced prisoners entering county institutions for selected Part II offenses. As the data indicate, drunken driving accounted for the highest number of new admissions for Part II crimes in 1988. Other Part II offenses which contributed a large proportion of inmates to the county prisons and jails included narcotic drug violations and other assaults.

FIGURE VIII

Prisoners Received into Counties: 1988
Part II Offenses



* Others Includes: Receiving Stolen Property, Drunkeness, and Criminal Mischief.

Part I & Part II Offenses Combined

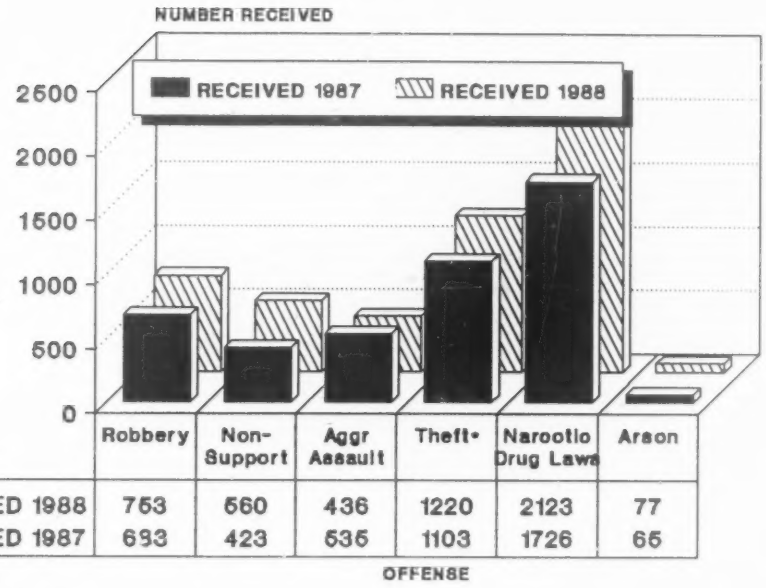
Table 2.5 presents the number of inmates received for Part I and Part II offenses and the percentage of the total reported offenses which is explained by each offense. The overwhelming majority of county prison and jail intakes are charged with Part II offenses (80%).

Comparison: Inmates Received by Selected Offense for 1987 and 1988

Between 1987 and 1988 there were significant changes in the number of offenders received into the county system for various crimes. Table 2.6 and Figure IX compare the number of individuals sentenced to county institutions by selected crimes in 1987 and 1988.

FIGURE IX

Comparison of Inmates Received 87 v 88 by Offense



	Robbery	Non-Support	Aggr Assault	Theft*	Narcotic Drug Laws	Arson
RECEIVED 1988	753	560	436	1220	2123	77
RECEIVED 1987	693	423	536	1103	1726	65

* Excluding retail theft.

Figure IX shows that, between 1987 and 1988, convictions for the crimes of robbery, non-support, theft, arson, and narcotic drug laws increased. The most significant increase (23%) was experienced in the number of persons sentenced for crimes involving narcotic drugs. This finding reflects the growing emphasis on combating drugs and drug-related crimes within the Commonwealth.

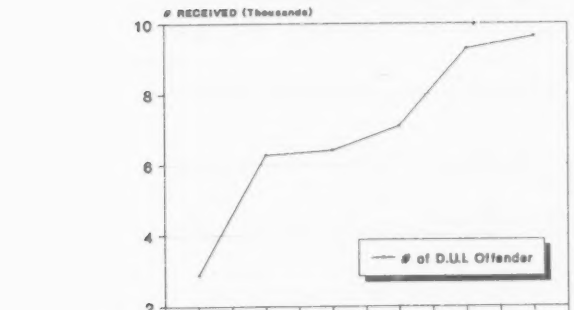
It is interesting to note that the number of offenders sentenced to county jails for the charge of aggravated assault decreased by 18.5 percent from 1987 to 1988. This may not, however, reflect a decrease in the amount of assaults perpetrated in as much as it reflects a decrease in the sentences being handed down for this offense.

Prisoners Sentenced for D.U.I.

In recent years, the "Driving-Under-the-Influence" offense has emerged as a leading cause of incarceration for a significant number of county prisoners. As is shown in Table 2.7, prisoners received into the county system in 1988 on the charge of D.U.I. (n = 9,621) represent roughly 40 percent of the all county prison and jail receptions for Part II offenses. Furthermore, Figure X reveals that D.U.I. admissions to the county prisons and jails have risen steadily over the last six years, from 2,887 in 1983 to the 1988 figure of 9,621.

FIGURE X

Prisoners Sentenced for D.U.I.
1983 to 1988



Distribution of Maximum Sentences

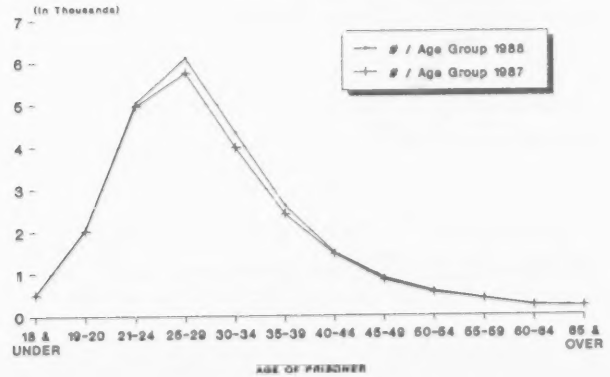
Table 2.8 presents the distribution of maximum sentences received by sentenced inmates entering the county prisons and jails in 1988. The average maximum sentence was 452.10 days. Peaks in the sentencing lengths emerge at 1-5 days, 16-30 days, and 1-1.9 years. A majority of the offenders ((15,920) or approximately 65%) sentenced to county institutions received a maximum sentence of 1 to 1.9 years.

Age Distribution of Sentenced Prisoners

As is depicted in Figure XI, the age distribution of prisoners currently in county institutions roughly corresponds to a bell curve with the largest number of prisoners falling in the 25 to 29 year age range (See Table 2.9). Further, Figure XI compares the 1987 population age with the 1988 population age. In general, little change was noted in the population age distribution between 1987 and 1988.

FIGURE XI

Age Distribution of Sentenced Prisoners
1987 v. 1988



SECTION TWO
TABLES: 2.1 TO 2.9

TABLE 2.1

Prisoners Sentenced to Pennsylvania County Prisons and Jails During 1987 and 1988

COUNTY	1987 BY COURT OF RECORDS	1987 BY MINOR JUDICIARY	1988 BY COURT OF RECORDS	1988 BY MINOR JUDICIARY
Adams	122	47	155	35
Allegheny	1,767	594	1,762	555
Armstrong	66	14	73	8
Beaver	184	23	208	13
Bedford	68	54	72	65
Berks	421	42	623	28
Blair	407	122	350	128
Bradford	59	0	87	5
Bucks	1,614	67	1,822	44
Butler	220	195	222	188
Cambria	161	3	209	5
Cameron	2	0	6	0
Carbon	98	9	107	13
Centre	226	19	208	21
Chester	744	106	838	169
Clarion	43	15	27	12
Clearfield	193	81	145	71
Clinton	43	2	71	12
Columbia	80	15	86	10
Crawford	214	113	206	142
Cumberland	515	48	406	70
Dauphin	780	146	742	96
Delaware	881	70	1,130	88
Elk	42	9	58	18
Erie	705	234	695	223
Fayette	97	112	112	114
Forest	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
Franklin	198	107	203	127
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	65	9	78	13
Huntingdon	71	16	74	11
Indiana	145	59	124	72
Jefferson	44	5	53	11
Juniata	29	4	18	1
Lackawanna	238	1	147	0
Lancaster	360	28	349	63
Lawrence	145	15	189	8
Lebanon	310	92	333	73
Lehigh	332	0	332	0
Luzerne	329	35	398	25
Lycoming	459	47	505	56
McKean	50	4	64	11
Mercer	204	87	154	67
Mifflin	51	0	48	0
Monroe	122	9	127	7
Montgomery	1,074	57	1,191	54
Montour	15	7	15	4
Northampton	466	142	527	145
Northumberland	142	58	191	98
Perry	29	13	39	17
Philadelphia	2,761	0	2,871	0
Pike	53	18	68	26
Potter	21	8	28	10
Schuylkill	240	21	218	38
Snyder	51	48	51	28
Somerset	98	24	107	37
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	43	36	51	18
Tioga	27	10	41	14
Union	37	14	61	4
Venango	114	95	121	85
Warren	119	22	143	29
Washington	281	71	320	66
Wayne	32	2	40	11
Westmoreland	349	70	433	50
Wyoming	37	0	31	5
York	688	214	650	158
TOTAL	19,581	3,588	20,813	3,575

TABLE 2.2
Pre-Trial Detentioners Received in Pennsylvania County Prisons and Jails During 1988

COUNTY	TYPE OF POPULATION MOVEMENTS: HELD FOR TRIAL OR FURTHER HEARINGS	HELD FOR VARIOUS AUTHORITIES	HELD FOR MENTAL EXAMINATIONS	TOTAL DETENTIONERS RECEIVED
Adams	474	6	0	480
Allegheny	10,853	471	50	11,374
Armstrong	266	36	0	302
Beaver	791	18	0	809
Bedford	227	114	0	341
Berks	2,373	4	0	2,377
Blair	834	6	0	840
Bradford	170	5	0	175
Bucks	3,491	286	0	3,777
Butler	775	71	0	846
Cambria	709	5	0	714
Cameron	36	3	0	39
Carbon	191	7	0	198
Centre	414	46	0	460
Chester	2,021	195	9	2,225
Clarion	167	54	3	224
Clearfield	473	170	1	644
Clinton	6	241	0	247
Columbia	270	18	0	288
Crawford	312	240	0	552
Cumberland	736	175	0	911
Dauphin	2,796	229	3	3,028
Delaware	2,733	974	0	3,707
Elk	123	16	0	139
Erie	1,579	36	0	1,615
Fayette	761	0	0	761
Forest	0	1	0	1
Franklin	602	28	0	630
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	129	20	0	149
Huntingdon	119	6	0	125
Indiana	271	56	0	327
Jefferson	121	22	0	143
Juniata	78	8	0	86
Lackawanna	571	269	0	840
Lancaster	1,334	12	0	1,346
Lawrence	680	3	0	683
Lebanon	426	47	0	473
Lehigh	2,142	195	0	2,337
Luzerne	852	173	0	1,025
Lycoming	617	273	0	890
McKean	160	27	0	187
Mercer	440	224	0	664
Mifflin	410	6	0	416
Monroe	145	487	0	632
Montgomery	2,770	0	0	2,770
Montour	54	0	0	54
Northampton	1,268	57	0	1,325
Northumberland	404	133	0	537
Perry	87	6	0	93
Philadelphia	18,549	1,430	0	19,979
Pike	52	92	14	158
Potter	13	37	1	51
Schuylkill	499	25	0	524
Snyder	82	3	0	85
Somerset	317	24	0	341
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	105	6	0	111
Tioga	282	5	1	288
Union	93	120	0	213
Venango	296	0	0	296
Warren	75	261	0	336
Washington	682	9	0	691
Wayne	97	4	0	101
Westmoreland	1,266	14	0	1,280
Wyoming	108	6	0	114
York	3,098	111	0	3,209
TOTAL	**72,875**	**7,626**	**82**	**80,583**

TABLE 2.3

Number of Sentenced Prisoners Received in County Prisons and Jails in 1988, by Part I Offense and Committing County

COUNTY	MURDER*	MANSLAUGHTER**	FORCIBLE RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	ARSON
Adams	0	1	1	5	0	13	8	1
Allegheny	0	4	1	31	25	76	162	7
Armstrong	0	0	0	2	2	9	6	2
Beaver	0	1	1	0	1	6	12	1
Bedford	0	1	0	0	0	10	1	0
Berks	1	3	0	15	15	44	76	1
Blair	0	2	2	3	7	17	46	4
Bradford	0	1	1	3	2	7	5	0
Bucks	2	4	3	18	22	56	124	6
Butler	0	0	0	1	2	11	12	1
Cambria	1	4	0	5	6	13	25	2
Cameron	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Carbon	0	3	0	2	4	8	13	0
Centre	0	0	0	0	5	14	6	1
Chester	0	6	3	21	23	130	73	5
Clarion	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Clearfield	0	0	0	1	2	5	25	1
Clinton	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	0
Columbia	0	1	0	1	1	3	14	0
Crawford	0	0	0	0	3	16	40	1
Cumberland	0	1	0	0	6	21	27	0
Dauphin	0	4	0	11	14	54	77	3
Delaware	1	5	1	35	36	88	136	5
Elk	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	0
Erie	0	2	0	2	7	44	61	2
Fayette	0	0	0	0	3	6	6	0
Forest	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
Franklin	0	0	0	0	3	15	30	1
Fulton	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Greene	0	2	0	0	0	1	8	0
Huntingdon	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	0
Indiana	0	0	0	1	2	9	9	0
Jefferson	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
Juniata	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
Lackawanna	0	1	0	0	0	8	6	3
Lancaster	0	1	0	2	4	19	10	1
Lawrence	0	0	0	4	5	11	17	0
Lebanon	0	0	0	1	8	16	21	2
Lehigh	0	5	0	4	5	10	34	1
Luzerne	0	2	0	6	5	12	15	2
Lycoming	0	1	0	0	4	16	30	1
McKean	0	1	0	0	3	5	5	0
Mercer	0	0	0	3	1	6	18	0
Mifflin	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	0
Monroe	0	1	0	0	0	11	8	0
Montgomery	1	12	2	15	20	68	104	1
Montour	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northampton	0	4	1	1	15	31	53	0
Northumberland	0	3	1	0	0	12	21	1
Perry	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	0
Philadelphia	0	4	14	532	126	369	399	16
Pike	0	1	0	0	1	12	13	0
Potter	0	0	1	0	1	1	2	0
Schuylkill	0	3	2	9	12	17	25	0
Snyder	0	0	0	0	0	4	8	0
Somerset	0	1	0	1	0	4	12	0
Sullivan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Susquehanna	0	0	0	1	1	7	3	0
Tioga	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Union	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	2
Venango	0	0	0	0	1	8	16	0
Warren	0	0	0	0	1	10	10	0
Washington	0	3	0	2	6	23	54	0
Wayne	0	0	0	1	0	2	7	0
Westmoreland	0	4	1	5	14	23	31	3
Wyoming	0	2	0	0	1	4	3	0
York	0	2	1	9	9	29	30	0
Federal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	6	99	37	753	436	1,433	1,982	77

* Murder only includes 3rd degree, unspecified murder and attempted murder.

** Manslaughter includes a total of 69 homicide by motor vehicle.

TABLE 2.4

Number of Sentenced Prisoners Received in County Prisons and Jails During 1988, by Selected Part II Offense

COUNTY	OTHER ASSAULTS	FRAUDS	RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY	NARCOTIC DRUG LAWS	DRUNKEN DRIVING	DRUNKENNESS	DISORDERLY CONDUCT	CRIMINAL MISCHIEF
Adams	5	8	1	19	87	2	7	2
Allegheny	126	60	32	159	1,205	25	106	38
Armstrong	1	1	3	7	28	0	1	0
Beaver	10	2	8	15	133	3	1	3
Bedford	3	8	0	1	57	8	7	4
Berks	39	16	18	135	117	0	5	0
Blair	27	2	14	10	199	18	24	13
Bradford	8	0	2	3	41	1	0	2
Bucks	50	6	25	103	1,146	1	2	5
Butler	6	9	5	16	150	67	71	2
Cambria	21	12	9	7	60	1	6	1
Cameron	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0
Carbon	1	1	3	7	41	1	5	1
Centre	6	3	2	17	85	2	3	0
Chester	51	21	12	59	408	9	18	24
Clarion	0	4	0	0	23	0	3	4
Clearfield	10	7	3	6	101	6	11	4
Clinton	6	3	0	0	42	2	2	0
Columbia	7	2	2	6	34	0	2	5
Crawford	11	22	6	9	84	18	17	9
Cumberland	18	32	7	39	233	7	4	7
Dauphin	44	17	13	127	290	11	14	16
Delaware	42	3	7	185	486	14	30	1
Elk	5	4	1	2	37	3	5	2
Erie	56	31	17	43	315	36	46	14
Fayette	6	12	3	6	90	16	24	8
Forest	1	0	1	0	5	1	0	0
Franklin	20	16	6	17	79	41	11	8
Fulton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greene	1	1	1	7	37	1	3	2
Huntingdon	2	1	0	0	63	1	0	2
Indiana	7	10	1	21	72	11	7	3
Jefferson	1	2	0	2	46	1	0	0
Juniata	0	0	0	3	9	0	0	0
Lackawanna	11	3	4	23	71	0	0	0
Lancaster	10	6	0	23	194	7	3	5
Lawrence	8	3	5	20	97	2	3	1
Lebanon	17	8	5	27	154	0	6	2
Lehigh	22	3	13	47	144	0	1	3
Luzerne	17	4	5	15	193	3	10	1
Lycoming	34	7	4	48	311	6	12	3
McKean	5	0	1	7	22	0	2	0
Mercer	14	9	5	4	102	4	15	16
Mifflin	3	1	0	1	22	1	1	1
Monroe	3	1	3	13	34	1	3	0
Montgomery	19	11	10	100	654	7	12	1
Montour	1	1	0	6	4	0	1	0
Northampton	24	9	9	97	187	14	31	8
Northumberland	27	12	9	19	82	3	23	21
Perry	0	3	0	6	20	0	1	0
Philadelphia	117	3	21	431	357	0	12	1
Pike	6	4	0	5	22	0	3	0
Potter	1	0	1	1	12	0	4	0
Schuylkill	9	1	5	14	84	3	9	5
Snyder	2	2	0	6	42	0	4	1
Somerset	8	11	2	8	53	0	8	2
Sullivan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Susquehanna	10	3	2	5	12	0	3	3
Tioga	2	0	0	2	31	4	4	0
Union	4	0	0	7	38	0	2	0
Venango	12	14	2	7	85	16	12	5
Warren	7	7	1	0	60	8	8	4
Washington	27	8	12	38	112	5	20	4
Wayne	5	3	4	1	9	1	1	1
Westmoreland	14	7	9	35	236	4	12	7
Wyoming	1	1	0	2	16	0	0	1
York	40	18	3	73	355	25	14	6
Federal	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	1,071	480	337	2,123	9,621	420	675	282

TABLE 2.5

Number of Sentenced Prisoners Received in County Prisons and Jails During 1988 for Part I and Part II Offenses

OFFENSE CLASSIFICATION	TOTAL RECEIVED	PERCENT OF TOTAL
PART I OFFENSES:		
Murder (Generally 3rd Degree)	6	0.0%
Manslaughter	99	0.4%
Forcible Rape	37	0.2%
Robbery	753	3.1%
Aggravated Assault	436	1.8%
Burglary	1,433	5.9%
Theft	1,982	8.1%
Arson	77	0.3%
TOTAL PART I	4,823	19.8%
PART II OFFENSES:		
Other Assaults	1,071	4.4%
Forgery	168	0.7%
Fraud	480	2.0%
Receiving Stolen Property	337	1.4%
Weapons	141	0.6%
Other Sex Offenses	335	1.4%
Narcotic Drug Laws	2,123	8.7%
Non-Support	560	2.3%
Driving While Intoxicated (DWI)	9,621	39.4%
Other Motor Vehicle Violations	1,284	5.3%
Liquor Laws	227	0.9%
Drunkeness (Except DWI)	420	1.7%
Disorderly Conduct	675	2.8%
Criminal Mischief	282	1.1%
Corruption of Minors	127	0.5%
Criminal Conspiracy	190	0.8%
Prison Breach	124	0.5%
County/Local Ordinances	38	0.2%
Contempt of Court	512	2.1%
Violation of Probation	330	1.3%
Other Part II Offenses	520	2.1%
TOTAL PART II	19,565	80.2%
ALL RECEPTIONS	24,388	100.0%

TABLE 2.6

Comparison of Sentenced Prisoners Received in County Prisons and Jails, 1987 to 1988 by Selected Offense

OFFENSE CLASSIFICATION	1987	1988	CHANGE 1987 TO 1988 Amount	Percent
Robbery	683	753	70	10.2%
Burglary	1,512	1,433	-79	-5.2%
Aggravated Assault	535	436	-99	-18.5%
Other Assault	998	1,071	73	7.3%
Theft (excl. retail)	1,103	1,220	117	10.6%
Retail Theft	737	762	25	3.4%
Fraud	423	480	57	13.5%
Receiving Stolen Property	329	337	8	2.4%
Forgery	171	168	-3	-1.8%
Forcible Rape	40	37	-3	-7.5%
Narcotic Drug Laws	1,726	2,123	397	23.0%
Weapons	163	141	-22	-13.5%
Non-Support	423	560	137	32.4%
Drunken Driving	9,287	9,621	334	3.6%
Disorderly Conduct	672	675	3	0.4%
Drunkeness	451	420	-31	-6.9%
Arson	65	77	12	18.5%
Criminal Mischief	301	282	-19	-6.3%

TABLE 2.7
Sentenced Prisoners Received for Drunken Driving, 1983 to 1988 by Committing County

COUNTY	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	PERCENT CHANGE 1983-1988
Adams	39	64	77	66	66	87	123%
Allegheny	352	693	478	802	1,331	1,205	242%
Armstrong	11	23	19	28	32	28	155%
Beaver	31	92	87	112	137	133	329%
Bedford	19	35	59	41	54	57	200%
Berks	48	109	105	102	104	117	144%
Blair	29	112	246	155	244	199	586%
Bradford	1	8	9	9	28	41	4000%
Bucks	204	500	498	493	871	1,146	462%
Butler	69	165	146	109	116	150	117%
Cambria	12	24	22	16	49	60	400%
Cameron	0	0	0	0	0	3	++
Carbon	15	22	19	18	30	41	173%
Centre	21	63	103	102	110	85	305%
Chester	92	343	241	321	301	408	343%
Clarion	5	28	33	30	34	23	360%
Clearfield	155	180	98	85	119	101	-35%
Clinton	6	20	21	10	25	42	600%
Columbia	19	47	52	55	38	34	79%
Crawford	114	118	157	127	113	84	-26%
Cumberland	43	92	135	219	298	233	442%
Dauphin	104	185	229	275	346	290	179%
Delaware	129	436	441	420	390	486	277%
Elk	3	6	10	13	25	37	1133%
Erie	87	152	138	227	308	315	262%
Fayette	9	40	52	60	76	90	900%
Forest	0	3	4	1	3	5	++
Franklin	54	84	91	93	86	79	46%
Fulton	0	1	2	5	1	0	++
Greene	12	11	19	27	31	37	208%
Huntingdon	27	68	47	47	53	63	133%
Indiana	15	39	41	62	90	72	380%
Jefferson	7	26	29	28	24	46	557%
Juniata	3	7	14	15	10	9	200%
Lackawanna	22	33	31	46	139	71	223%
Lancaster	47	72	131	158	147	194	313%
Lawrence	6	29	47	36	68	97	1517%
Lebanon	58	94	106	97	127	154	166%
Lehigh	35	82	82	96	144	144	311%
Luzerne	44	66	83	82	140	193	339%
Lycoming	96	187	202	263	265	311	224%
McKean	9	18	11	10	22	22	144%
Mercer	40	98	157	137	135	102	155%
Mifflin	17	9	18	15	23	22	29%
Monroe	9	46	26	38	65	34	278%
Montgomery	86	254	319	393	564	654	660%
Montour	4	6	14	11	6	4	0%
Northampton	49	92	137	126	174	187	282%
Northumberland	75	75	45	60	66	82	9%
Perry	2	28	27	19	23	20	900%
Philadelphia	116	429	368	418	433	357	208%
Pike	4	12	5	9	18	22	450%
Potter	15	13	11	15	13	12	-20%
Schuylkill	35	60	84	81	72	84	140%
Snyder	7	29	25	27	49	42	500%
Somerset	22	53	51	36	58	53	141%
Sullivan	0	1	0	0	0	0	++
Susquehanna	20	44	35	29	35	12	-40%
Tioga	4	32	23	20	21	31	675%
Union	5	24	25	43	34	38	660%
Venango	62	113	104	84	106	85	37%
Warren	58	45	51	61	55	60	3%
Washington	60	94	95	78	110	112	87%
Wayne	7	4	2	6	5	9	29%
Westmoreland	32	89	111	130	228	236	638%
Wyoming	4	8	6	11	7	16	300%
York	101	251	254	279	392	355	251%
Federal	1	0	1	2	0	0	-100%
TOTAL	2,887	6,286	6,409	7,089	9,287	9,621	233%

NOTE: ++ Indicates that the percent change cannot be calculated across the six year period.

TABLE 2.8

Distribution of Maximum Sentences of County Prisoners Received During 1988 by Committing County

COUNTY	1-5 DAYS	6-10 DAYS	11-15 DAYS	16-30 DAYS	31-60 DAYS	61-90 DAYS	91-182 DAYS
Adams	32	1	6	6	9	12	5
Allegheny	394	84	41	468	111	187	39
Armstrong	4	1	2	2	0	2	3
Beaver	2	2	2	0	0	2	6
Bedford	8	11	7	21	8	14	0
Berks	0	1	1	8	8	7	32
Blair	42	37	14	30	12	22	12
Bradford	3	1	0	2	2	4	2
Bucks	6	4	2	49	70	49	10
Butler	179	31	9	98	16	26	5
Cambria	5	0	0	2	2	9	7
Cameron	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Carbon	1	1	1	6	8	11	10
Centre	0	1	10	35	19	17	0
Chester	71	25	18	30	10	27	1
Clarion	3	1	3	2	1	2	0
Clearfield	32	5	6	10	6	10	3
Clinton	3	3	3	1	1	3	0
Columbia	1	1	1	3	2	5	2
Crawford	3	17	11	44	19	13	49
Cumberland	0	3	3	9	0	1	24
Dauphin	6	15	8	26	19	44	29
Delaware	1	4	5	44	31	51	22
Elk	3	3	4	5	4	3	2
Erie	100	43	23	45	9	15	30
Fayette	42	15	6	44	16	10	8
Forest	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Franklin	16	13	16	45	37	25	5
Fulton	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Greene	4	3	1	10	3	2	0
Huntingdon	0	1	1	1	3	2	1
Indiana	4	14	10	19	19	7	1
Jefferson	1	2	2	3	1	4	0
Juniata	0	0	0	1	0	2	0
Lackawanna	0	0	0	2	1	0	1
Lancaster	8	19	8	56	14	23	5
Lawrence	2	1	0	3	1	5	2
Lebanon	4	16	6	28	23	21	14
Lehigh	0	0	0	4	2	7	4
Luzerne	31	8	1	23	8	9	14
Lycoming	7	6	14	18	5	25	10
McKean	14	2	1	8	5	5	3
Mercer	9	9	3	12	4	19	2
Mifflin	0	0	1	3	0	3	2
Monroe	3	0	0	16	1	31	2
Montgomery	6	4	4	25	8	29	1
Montour	0	1	0	4	0	2	1
Northampton	49	16	14	27	13	25	16
Northumberland	14	11	11	20	14	33	2
Perry	14	4	1	2	1	3	2
Philadelphia	75	16	24	175	18	20	23
Pike	1	0	2	12	9	4	1
Potter	7	5	0	5	0	2	1
Schuylkill	1	0	2	17	10	16	5
Snyder	4	3	0	1	2	6	2
Somerset	3	5	4	6	2	2	6
Sullivan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Susquehanna	8	2	0	6	5	3	2
Tioga	2	2	3	3	1	6	1
Union	2	0	0	0	0	1	0
Venango	9	9	13	36	3	12	0
Warren	5	3	0	5	1	4	1
Washington	38	12	3	18	8	19	5
Wayne	1	3	1	2	0	2	0
Westmoreland	100	10	7	34	8	19	10
Wyoming	2	0	0	1	1	2	2
York	13	13	6	52	37	39	22
Federal	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
TOTAL	1,398	523	345	1,694	651	987	471

TABLE 2.8 (cont.)
Distribution of Maximum Sentences of County Prisoners Received During 1988 by Committing County

COUNTY	6-11.9 MONTHS	1-1.9 YEARS	2-2.9 YEARS	3-3.9 YEARS	4 YEARS & OVER	TOTAL	AVG. MAX. SENT.DAYS
Adams	4	108	4	3	4	194	470.3
Allegheny	271	706	15	1	0	2,317	207.3
Armstrong	1	64	1	0	1	81	580.7
Beaver	0	204	0	0	3	221	593.9
Bedford	1	65	1	1	0	137	262.8
Berks	48	370	48	79	49	651	633.0
Blair	15	259	10	11	14	478	430.1
Bradford	6	59	2	2	8	91	581.4
Bucks	21	1,621	11	7	15	1,865	532.4
Butler	24	22	0	0	1	411	65.4
Cambria	3	168	5	1	12	214	605.5
Cameron	1	4	0	0	0	6	342.2
Carbon	20	47	5	7	3	120	381.7
Centre	0	143	1	2	1	229	374.7
Chester	7	773	6	10	29	1,007	592.9
Clarion	3	21	1	0	0	37	296.8
Clearfield	2	138	1	1	2	216	395.8
Clinton	2	63	2	2	0	83	485.7
Columbia	8	67	0	4	2	96	480.8
Crawford	23	169	0	1	0	349	252.9
Cumberland	27	355	2	1	2	427	457.7
Dauphin	57	610	12	8	4	838	423.6
Delaware	38	878	42	34	68	1,218	640.9
Elk	0	51	0	0	0	75	428.5
Erie	37	607	5	0	1	915	417.9
Fayette	74	11	0	0	0	226	103.4
Forest	3	3	0	0	0	7	356.6
Franklin	3	147	5	3	6	321	378.4
Fulton	0	2	0	0	0	3	446.0
Greene	6	49	7	2	4	91	424.9
Huntingdon	1	69	0	0	3	82	664.5
Indiana	1	121	0	0	0	196	371.9
Jefferson	0	51	0	0	0	64	344.3
Juniata	2	14	0	0	0	19	438.6
Lackawanna	17	70	45	4	7	147	548.4
Lancaster	5	272	1	0	2	413	477.5
Lawrence	6	170	4	1	2	197	451.7
Lebanon	23	240	12	7	12	406	519.9
Lehigh	9	277	4	12	14	333	636.5
Luzerne	97	194	15	10	12	422	380.0
Lycoming	17	458	0	1	0	561	420.1
McKean	4	30	1	1	1	75	256.1
Mercer	11	150	2	0	0	221	348.0
Mifflin	9	29	1	0	0	48	326.5
Monroe	4	71	1	0	5	134	369.9
Montgomery	9	1,120	4	4	32	1,246	607.9
Montour	0	9	1	0	1	19	418.1
Northampton	60	348	22	29	18	637	405.4
Northumberland	12	150	3	12	7	289	458.9
Perry	4	24	0	0	0	55	257.2
Philadelphia	114	2,373	16	5	12	2,871	556.8
Pike	11	46	4	0	3	93	361.6
Potter	5	13	0	0	0	38	198.4
Schuylkill	2	172	9	9	13	256	511.2
Snyder	4	54	1	2	0	79	418.1
Somerset	3	90	3	1	0	125	466.3
Sullivan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Susquehanna	16	23	3	0	1	69	289.4
Tioga	0	34	2	1	0	55	372.4
Union	1	60	1	0	0	65	516.5
Venango	6	117	1	0	0	206	275.1
Warren	18	87	1	0	1	126	423.0
Washington	4	266	5	4	4	386	404.8
Wayne	5	23	6	0	4	47	559.6
Westmoreland	9	285	0	0	0	482	407.3
Wyoming	0	25	1	0	2	36	452.0
York	15	601	8	3	0	809	369.3
Federal	0	0	0	0	0	1	61.0
TOTAL	**1,209**	**15,920**	**363**	**286**	**385**	**24,232**	**452.1**

TABLE 2.9
Age Distribution of Sentenced Prisoners Received in County Prisons and Jails During 1988 by Committing County

COUNTY	18 & UNDER	19-20	21-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 & OVER	UNKNOWN	TOTAL	AVERAGE AGE
Adams	5	29	34	45	36	18	13	5	8	0	0	1	0	194	29.3
Allegheny	17	128	366	569	468	327	179	97	72	45	27	22	0	2,317	32.4
Armstrong	4	9	25	16	16	6	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	81	27.6
Beaver	3	21	48	66	32	16	13	7	4	8	2	1	0	221	30.3
Bedford	5	10	32	25	26	10	10	4	5	6	3	1	0	137	31.6
Berks	17	62	134	172	136	71	29	11	7	9	1	2	0	651	29.0
Blair	29	39	104	104	60	52	38	15	16	6	8	7	0	478	30.7
Bradford	2	10	19	20	17	7	6	4	0	3	1	3	0	92	31.4
Bucks	32	122	366	432	362	227	127	70	61	34	12	20	0	1,865	31.4
Butler	11	47	100	95	52	41	29	16	6	9	3	2	0	411	29.7
Cambria	5	22	40	50	36	23	13	10	7	3	2	2	1	214	30.9
Cameron	0	0	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	30.4
Carbon	6	10	29	28	17	14	8	1	3	1	1	2	0	120	29.8
Centre	5	7	63	64	35	17	14	7	6	4	2	5	0	229	30.7
Chester	17	75	215	234	174	124	61	46	26	16	10	9	0	1,007	31.0
Clarion	0	8	11	8	6	2	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	39	28.0
Clearfield	7	20	40	50	36	22	8	14	5	4	6	4	0	216	31.6
Clinton	3	7	22	17	12	8	4	1	3	3	2	1	0	83	30.4
Columbia	6	10	18	19	17	16	5	2	0	1	0	2	0	96	29.8
Crawford	13	46	62	95	49	31	15	15	12	4	3	4	0	349	29.8
Cumberland	8	48	99	132	75	43	28	18	14	5	4	2	0	476	29.8
Dauphin	22	81	124	203	164	88	56	38	29	20	8	5	0	838	31.3
Delaware	29	90	235	322	259	134	57	38	26	10	11	7	0	1,218	30.1
Elk	1	8	15	20	12	7	8	1	0	1	1	2	0	76	30.7
Erie	33	104	171	230	136	106	54	39	21	5	3	12	1	915	29.9
Fayette	6	23	34	48	42	22	21	15	8	5	1	0	1	226	31.5
Forest	0	0	2	2	3	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	10	35.0
Franklin	9	42	65	71	63	27	14	16	1	8	1	4	0	321	29.8
Fulton	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	27.0
Greene	6	10	13	19	11	10	8	8	2	1	2	1	0	91	31.9
Huntingdon	2	7	17	17	10	15	6	6	3	2	0	0	0	85	31.4
Indiana	7	19	43	51	29	14	16	9	2	0	5	1	0	196	29.8
Jefferson	3	4	17	19	6	5	1	3	1	2	1	2	0	64	30.2
Juniata	0	1	4	8	3	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	19	29.8
Lackawanna	3	16	33	39	24	9	12	4	3	3	1	0	0	147	29.4
Lancaster	4	30	98	99	78	46	28	11	10	4	3	0	2	413	30.0
Lawrence	3	17	27	57	39	27	10	7	5	3	1	1	0	197	30.6
Lebanon	10	40	96	94	76	35	19	17	10	3	1	5	0	406	29.7
Lehigh	6	28	59	86	67	41	18	7	8	6	4	3	0	333	30.6
Luzerne	6	32	76	114	79	53	21	12	10	9	3	5	2	422	30.9
Lycoming	4	39	112	147	111	67	35	19	11	6	5	5	0	561	30.7
McKean	1	7	15	23	7	7	6	3	1	3	2	0	0	75	31.2
Mercer	9	20	45	58	34	21	12	9	3	4	3	3	0	221	30.1
Mifflin	4	2	11	12	8	5	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	48	28.7
Monroe	3	10	31	26	27	15	6	6	3	6	1	0	0	134	31.1
Montgomery	16	81	249	349	228	132	83	52	27	17	8	4	0	1,246	30.5
Montour	1	2	3	5	3	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	19	29.9
Northampton	9	49	124	174	122	76	53	24	17	12	6	5	1	672	31.1
Northumberlnd	20	46	61	70	39	22	11	10	2	1	3	4	0	289	28.0
Perry	4	12	13	8	8	6	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	56	27.1
Philadelphia	22	247	813	752	444	243	143	64	49	46	29	14	5	2,871	29.2
Pike	2	7	25	20	17	9	4	4	2	1	1	2	0	94	30.5
Potter	9	1	9	9	2	2	1	3	2	0	0	0	0	38	27.4
Schuylkill	6	24	54	71	40	23	14	6	6	2	8	2	0	256	30.3
Snyder	1	7	24	15	9	5	8	3	4	1	2	0	0	79	30.7
Somerset	2	12	30	44	24	9	12	1	4	3	0	3	0	144	30.1
Sullivan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Susquehanna	3	5	12	12	9	7	7	7	3	2	2	0	0	69	33.2
Tioga	2	3	9	14	9	5	3	1	4	2	0	3	0	55	33.8
Union	1	11	15	18	10	6	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	65	27.5
Venango	7	14	42	62	27	21	11	14	2	3	3	0	0	206	30.1
Warren	7	13	36	41	23	18	6	5	3	3	3	3	2	163	30.5
Washington	9	41	72	85	78	42	23	12	7	7	7	2	1	386	30.5
Wayne	4	7	8	11	5	4	3	2	3	1	0	2	1	51	31.6
Westmoreland	6	37	87	123	105	48	35	17	12	8	0	4	0	482	30.7
Wyoming	1	5	11	8	5	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	36	27.5
York	11	73	173	208	168	79	38	31	9	11	5	3	0	809	29.7
Federal	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	22.0
TOTAL	509	2,057	5,045	6,106	4,326	2,593	1,479	875	571	387	223	199	18	24,388	30.5

SECTION 3

RELEASES

COUNTY PRISON AND JAIL RELEASES

Overview

This section reviews data relating to prisoners released from county prisons and jails in 1988 including the following information: conditions of release, detentioners released, Part I and Part II offenders released, time served, work releases and escapes.

Conditions of Release

Figure XII presents the conditions under which inmates are released from county institutions (See Table 3.1). In general, inmates receive one of two types of releases from county prisons and jails: unconditional or conditional release.

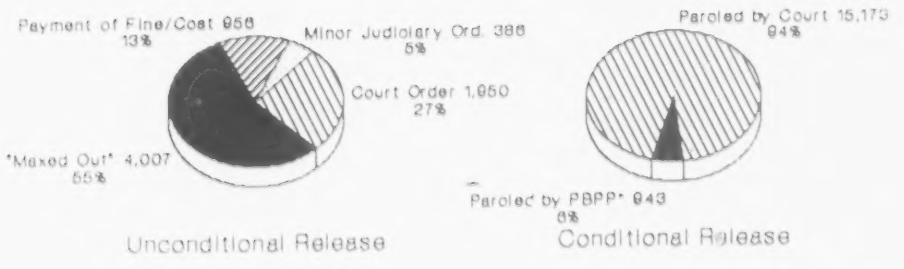
Unconditional release occurs when the individual is released from custody with no further governmental supervision. This can occur by: 1) court order or minor judiciary order, 2) payment of court ordered fines and court costs, or 3) expiration of maximum sentence. The first pie in Figure XII shows the amount and percentage of unconditional releases occurring for each category. The highest number of unconditional releases from county institutions followed the expiration of maximum sentence.

Conditional releases occur when an individual is released from a county jail or prison but is placed under governmental supervision, known as parole. Parole can be granted by either the court or the Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole. As the second pie chart in Figure XII demonstrates, the vast majority of conditional releases are assigned by the court.

In summary, most unconditional releases result from the expiration of an inmate's maximum sentence (55%), while most conditional releases result from the granting of parole by the court (94%).

FIGURE XII

Conditions of Release



* Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole.

Major Releases 1979 to 1988

Table 3.2 compares prisoner releases from county institutions over the ten year period from 1979 to 1988, as a function of unconditional, conditional, or detentioner status. By far, adult detentioners represent the largest number of releases in 1988 with 80,298. It is interesting to note that the percentage of conditional releases has increased over 3( ) percent in the ten year period, from 4,835 in 1979 to 16,116 in 1988.

Detentioners Released

Table 3.3 outlines the number of detentioners released by county and disposition-type in 1988. The totals indicate that the majority of adult detentioners were released on bail or sentenced by their holding authority.

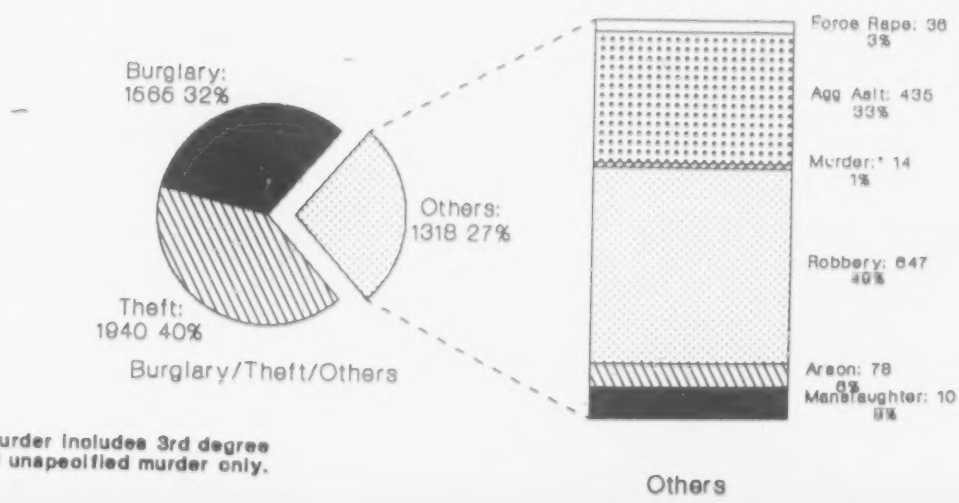
Prisoners Released from County Custody

Figures XIII and XIV show the percentage of prisoners released from county custody in 1988 by their original sentencing offense. Figure XIII presents the number of releases and the percentage of the total releases by Part I offenses. Figure XIV show release information for Part II offenses (Also see Tables 3.4 and 3.5).

As Figure XIII indicates, burglary and theft offenders constitute the majority of releases from the county system. The remaining releases are broken down in the adjoining section. Figure XIV shows the number of releases as a function of Part II offenses. The drunken driving offenders constitute a majority of releases for the Part II offenses. This finding corresponds with the large proportion of offenders being confined for D.U.I. charges as was discussed in Section II, **Receptions**.

FIGURE XIII

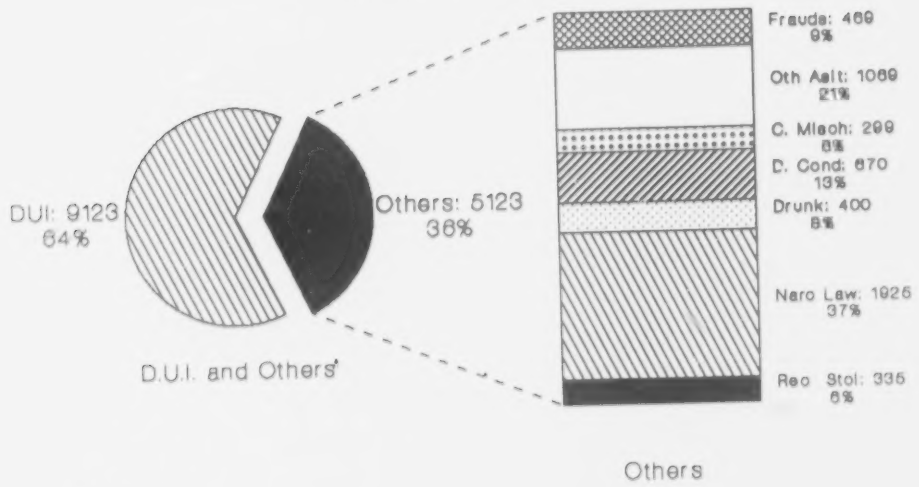
Prisoners Released from County 1988 by Part I Offense



* Murder includes 3rd degree and unspecified murder only.

FIGURE XIV

Prisoners Released from County 1988 by Part II Offense

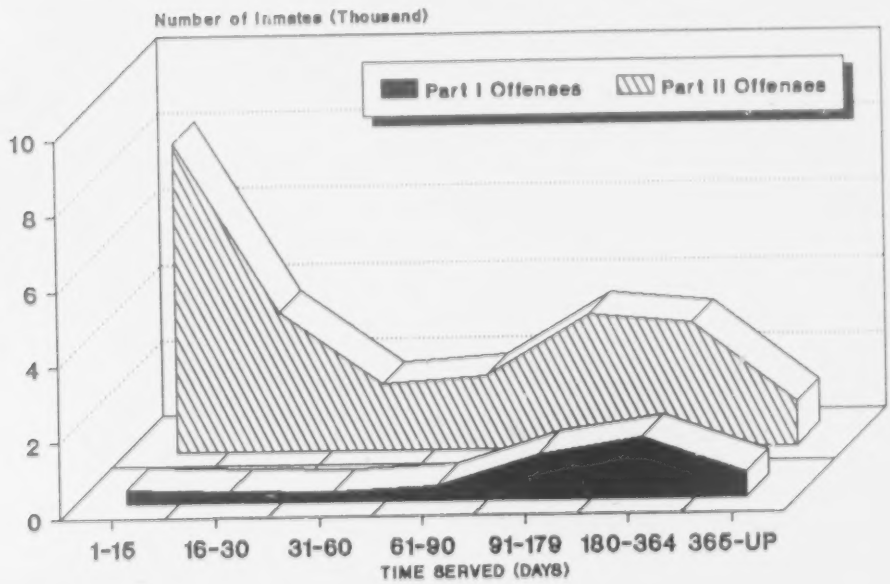


Time Served at Release

Figure XV graphically depicts the data, as contained in Tables 3.6 and 3.7, on time served at release for prisoners confined for both Part I and Part II offenses . The majority of inmates released after serving time for Part I offenses have served sentences of 180 days and above. However, as is shown in the Figure XV, the majority of Part II offenders serve sentences which fall at the outer extremes of the scale. A large number of Part II offenders serve very short sentences of between 1 and 30 days, while another significant portion of Part II offenders serve sentences of 180 days or above.

FIGURE XV

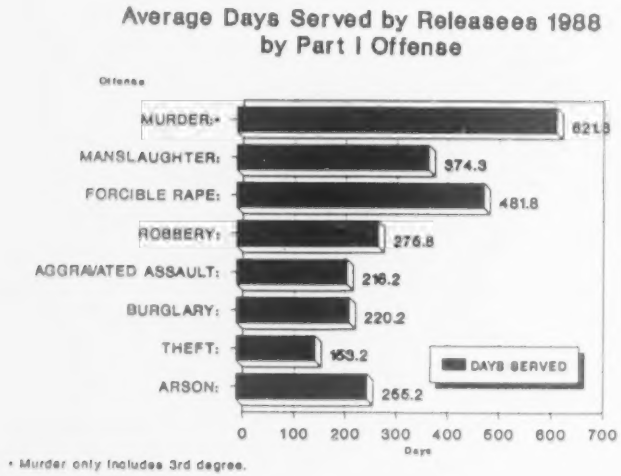
Time Served at Release
Average for Part I & II Offenses



Time Served by Part I Offenses

As is shown in Figure XVI, prisoners sentenced for murder serve the longest average sentence, approximately 600 days. Forcible rape carries the second highest average days served at approximately 480 days.

FIGURE XVI



Time Served by Part II Offenses

Table 3.7 and Figure XVII present the time served by inmates released for specific Part II crimes. The data show that narcotic drug law violators serve the greatest amount of time with approximately 170 days served per inmate. Offenders sentenced for receiving stolen property average approximately 164 days served.

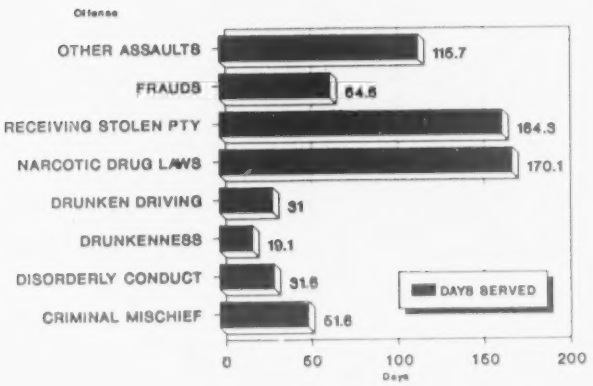
Table 3.8 contains data on the average days served for both Part I and Part II offenses. This table offers a comparison of the relative seriousness of crime as measured by the amount of time served per offense across the state.

Time Served by Released Prisoners by County

Table 3.9 shows the time served by prisoners released from county institutions. Persons released from county prisons and jails served an average of 96 days in 1988. Cambria County reported the highest average days served with 202. This figure, however, is inflated by the confinement of an inmate sentenced to the Cambria county jail for a four to eight year term for criminal homocide. Philadelphia County reports the next highest number of days served, with an average of 186 days served per inmate. Such variation in time served for offenses may be attributed to: 1) the stringency of the sentencing courts, or 2) the seriousness of crimes which are committed within specific counties.

FIGURE XVII

Average Days Served by Releasees 1988
by Part II Offense



Prisoners on Work Release

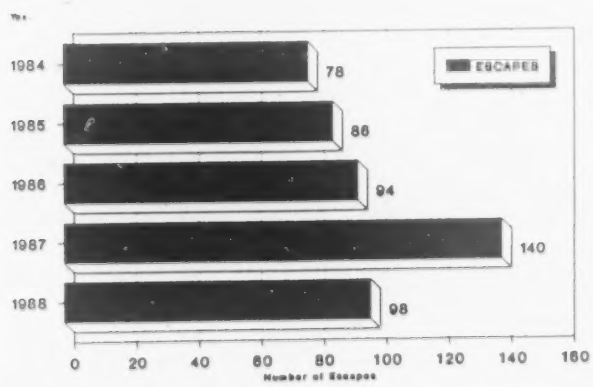
Table 3.10 presents a breakdown of prisoners on work release by county as of December 1987 and 1988. The total number of prisoners on work release has increased slightly over the two year period. However, due to the increase in the total county prison population and an inability to increase work opportunities at a rate equal to the population growth, the percentage of county inmates on work release in 1988 did not match the 1987 increase (10.4% for 1987 verses 9.9% for 1988).

Escapes

Figure XVIII displays the number of escapes from county jails and prisons over the five year period from 1984 to 1988 (See Table 3.11). As the chart indicates, escapes from the county correctional system increased steadily from 1984 through 1987, but decreased signficantly in 1988.

FIGURE XVIII

Escapes from County Institutions
Five Year Comparison



SECTION THREE
TABLES: 3.1 TO 3.11

TABLE 3.1
Unconditional and Conditional Releases of Sentenced Prisoners from Pennsylvania County Prisons and Jail During 1988

COUNTY	EXPIRATION OF MAXIMUM SENTENCE	UNCONDITIONAL RELEASES (FINAL) BY COURT'S ORDER	BY MINOR JUDICIARY' S ORDER	PAYMENT FINES &/OR COSTS	TOTAL	CONDITIONAL RELEASES PAROLED BY PBPP*	PAROLED BY COURT	TOTAL
Adams	50	1	2	18	71	9	101	110
Allegheny	618	968	27	130	1,743	1	500	501
Armstrong	12	1	0	0	13	0	62	62
Beaver	14	1	5	0	20	2	205	207
Bedford	33	1	1	34	69	2	68	70
Berks	67	27	2	2	98	143	345	488
Blair	146	6	5	2	159	32	253	285
Bradford	6	5	0	1	12	14	59	73
Bucks	125	78	6	0	209	27	1,488	1,515
Butler	254	71	5	89	419	0	0	0
Cambria	21	53	0	1	75	16	109	125
Cameron	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	1
Carbon	15	3	0	4	22	13	87	100
Centre	26	17	4	44	91	12	174	186
Chester	168	4	11	8	191	36	841	877
Clarion	20	1	0	3	24	1	41	42
Clearfield	66	1	7	4	78	10	211	221
Clinton	9	6	1	4	20	10	84	94
Columbia	13	5	0	0	18	6	76	82
Crawford	55	1	66	31	153	0	192	192
Cumberland	37	9	7	50	103	15	438	453
Dauphin	103	12	19	32	166	16	760	776
Delaware	160	3	4	22	189	110	793	903
Elk	13	4	3	3	23	0	54	54
Erie	201	50	27	3	281	2	607	609
Fayette	68	0	0	43	111	0	80	80
Forest	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)	(d)
Franklin	132	13	9	11	165	17	167	184
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	18	2	0	1	21	9	47	56
Huntingdon	7	0	0	3	10	3	70	73
Indiana	35	2	10	26	73	0	127	127
Jefferson	10	2	2	0	14	3	74	77
Juniata	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	14
Lackawanna	1	7	0	0	8	88	79	167
Lancaster	178	0	0	4	182	2	346	348
Lawrence	10	0	2	0	12	5	137	142
Lebanon	95	27	7	26	155	35	238	273
Lehigh	0	0	0	0	0	45	310	355
Luzerne	94	55	8	6	163	45	244	289
Lycoming	64	13	7	1	85	1	481	482
McKean	31	2	1	2	36	1	47	48
Mercer	28	4	14	10	56	0	176	176
Mifflin	5	3	0	2	10	0	81	81
Monroe	21	0	0	37	58	2	112	114
Montgomery	15	0	0	0	15	17	675	692
Montour	9	0	0	0	9	2	13	15
Northampton	162	62	6	28	258	68	313	381
Northumberland	75	3	28	9	115	24	172	196
Perry	24	11	2	2	39	0	18	18
Philadelphia	207	349	0	57	613	8	1,611	1,619
Pike	3	0	3	32	38	2	42	44
Potter	15	0	1	3	19	0	23	23
Schuylkill	36	11	1	12	60	28	170	198
Snyder	6	0	1	3	10	1	76	77
Somerset	10	0	1	31	42	9	111	120
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	21	0	0	16	37	3	33	36
Tioga	8	1	0	3	12	2	34	36
Union	3	0	2	0	5	0	52	52
Venango	31	2	18	25	76	1	146	147
Warren	11	8	3	36	58	11	95	106
Washington	46	11	16	9	82	13	290	303
Wayne	9	4	3	11	27	6	27	33
Westmoreland	139	18	29	0	186	1	254	255
Wyoming	6	0	1	1	8	8	27	35
York	140	12	9	21	182	6	612	618
TOTAL	**4,007**	**1,950**	**386**	**956**	**7,299**	**943**	**15,173**	**16,116**

* Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole.

TABLE 3.2

Major Types of Admissions to and Releases from Pennsylvania County Prisons and Jails, 1979 to 1988

	ADMISSIONS			RELEASES		
Year	Court Commitments*	Minor Judiciary Commitments*	Adult Detentioners	Unconditional*	Conditional (Paroles)*	Adult Detentioners
1979	6,169	4,457	55,845	5,425	4,835	55,607
1980	6,225	4,642	60,816	5,641	4,823	60,281
1981	7,359	4,121	66,268	5,335	5,328	65,645
1982	8,966	4,268	66,032	5,961	6,642	66,565
1983	11,098	3,999	64,570	5,888	8,929	64,802
1984	14,973	3,986	68,298	6,881	11,641	69,044
1985	15,120	4,368	69,316	6,959	11,938	69,332
1986	16,239	4,209	73,572	7,060	12,917	72,790
1987	19,581	3,588	77,512	6,866	15,282	77,635
1988	20,813	3,575	80,583	7,299	16,116	80,298

* Represents prisoners sentenced to serve time in local county correctional facilities.

NOTE: Since the data does not include admissions and releases (i.e..., transfers, outmate, weekend movements, and misscellaneous movements), the above totals will not balance with the end-of-year population counts

TABLE 3.3
Detentioners Released from Pennsylvania County Prisons and Jails During 1988

COUNTIES	ON BAIL	SENTENCED BY HOLDING AUTHORITIES (COURT & ETC)	SENTENCED TO LOCAL COUNTY PRISONS	SENTENCED TO STATE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS	BY VARIOUS TO STATE REG. CORR. FACILITY	FED., STATE & POLICE AUTHORITIES	MENTAL PATIIENTS RELEASED	TOTAL DETENTIONERS RELEASED
Adams	131	260	26	2	0	1	0	420
Allegheny	4,567	4,846	182	907	2	477	151	11,132
Armstrong	93	154	13	6	0	26	1	293
Beaver	408	317	40	9	0	7	0	781
Bedford	161	37	1	0	0	124	0	323
Berks	767	938	362	117	0	38	35	2,257
Blair	27	637	208	14	0	8	0	894
Bradford	109	36	20	7	0	6	0	178
Bucks	742	2,168	343	56	0	417	43	3,769
Butler	607	60	25	18	1	60	1	772
Cambria	294	333	114	6	0	7	0	754
Cameron	28	8	0	0	0	0	0	36
Carbon	95	53	37	11	0	0	0	196
Centre	261	176	38	25	0	0	4	504
Chester	636	813	335	45	0	191	1	2,021
Clarion	70	109	1	0	3	49	4	236
Clearfield	114	196	35	32	0	166	3	546
Clinton	110	0	0	7	0	91	0	208
Columbia	104	130	20	10	0	15	0	279
Crawford	131	167	35	31	2	187	0	553
Cumberland	382	284	55	27	0	191	7	946
Dauphin	806	1,593	229	121	0	229	13	2,991
Delaware	1,699	1,245	404	0	0	1	0	3,349
Elk	51	35	16	12	0	16	0	130
Erie	667	610	256	214	5	33	0	1,785
Fayette	279	287	3	131	28	11	3	742
Forest	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Franklin	196	246	131	50	0	24	2	649
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	49	66	13	17	0	10	0	155
Huntingdon	77	30	7	5	0	8	1	128
Indiana	117	138	47	16	1	33	3	355
Jefferson	33	68	1	0	2	11	3	118
Juniata	80	11	3	2	0	2	0	98
Lackawanna	387	292	0	3	0	76	0	758
Lancaster	582	708	9	23	0	11	0	1,333
Lawrence	418	215	1	12	1	6	1	654
Lebanon	190	199	98	55	0	14	0	556
Lehigh	939	724	105	0	0	446	0	2,214
Luzerne	425	313	64	6	0	145	0	953
Lycoming	287	503	34	96	0	27	0	947
McKean	90	43	9	10	0	14	0	166
Mercer	177	178	45	58	1	160	4	623
Mifflin	81	258	0	8	0	5	0	352
Monroe	243	311	1	7	0	0	5	567
Montgomery	926	2,337	310	163	0	0	0	3,736
Montour	29	12	0	0	0	2	0	43
Northampton	544	500	219	44	0	1	6	1,314
Northumberland	164	95	49	47	0	195	3	553
Perry	40	23	4	4	0	9	0	80
Philadelphia	7,175	6,917	2,071	2,145	0	1,899	3	20,210
Pike	82	26	6	9	0	8	3	134
Potter	24	20	2	1	0	0	3	50
Schuykill	312	99	82	12	0	15	2	522
Snyder	22	58	0	13	0	1	0	94
Somerset	155	99	15	17	0	50	2	338
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	57	14	11	12	0	13	2	109
Tioga	102	153	5	28	0	12	3	303
Union	27	80	0	10	0	106	0	223
Venago	107	120	45	21	4	0	0	297
Warren	101	119	47	30	0	0	2	299
Washington	283	320	87	0	0	11	0	701
Wayne	56	22	7	5	0	4	0	94
Westmoreland	593	559	75	39	1	9	0	1,276
Wyoming	72	5	6	7	0	6	1	97
York	1,341	1,354	176	123	0	113	0	3,107
TOTAL	29,923	32,727	6,583	4,906	47	5,797	315	80,298

TABLE 3.4

Number of Sentenced Prisoners Released from County Prisons and Jails During 1988 by Part I Offense

COUNTY	MURDER*	MANSLAUGHTER	FORCIBLE RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULTS	BURGLARY	THEFT	ARSON
Adams	0	1	0	1	1	17	12	0
Allegheny	0	5	5	18	28	59	155	6
Armstrong	0	0	0	1	1	10	8	2
Beaver	0	1	0	0	2	11	20	0
Bedford	0	2	0	0	0	7	1	2
Berks	0	5	0	14	10	54	68	1
Blair	0	3	0	4	5	13	45	4
Bradford	0	1	0	1	1	3	8	0
Bucks	5	7	5	27	19	73	144	6
Butler	0	0	0	1	3	13	12	1
Cambria	1	5	0	6	2	21	19	2
Cameron	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carbon	0	2	0	2	4	8	8	0
Centre	1	0	0	1	4	21	13	1
Chester	0	9	4	15	22	130	88	2
Clarion	0	0	0	0	1	4	8	0
Clearfield	0	0	0	2	2	15	34	2
Clinton	0	0	0	0	0	4	9	0
Columbia	0	0	0	0	1	4	17	0
Crawford	0	1	0	0	3	24	36	1
Cumberland	0	5	1	8	4	34	40	0
Dauphin	0	4	0	21	24	60	89	4
Delaware	0	8	1	23	28	84	118	3
Elk	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	0
Erie	0	2	1	1	9	50	55	2
Fayette	0	0	0	0	2	4	4	1
Forest	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Franklin	0	0	0	2	3	19	36	0
Fulton	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Greene	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	0
Huntingdon	0	1	0	0	0	1	4	0
Indiana	0	0	0	0	1	8	9	0
Jefferson	0	0	0	1	2	10	8	0
Juniata	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Lackawanna	0	2	0	0	0	17	11	4
Lancaster	1	0	1	5	8	41	23	3
Lawrence	0	0	0	4	2	9	9	0
Lebanon	1	0	0	4	8	22	23	2
Lehigh	0	2	0	4	7	25	39	0
Luzerne	1	5	2	10	4	17	20	3
Lycoming	2	0	0	0	8	18	34	1
McKean	0	1	0	0	4	4	4	0
Mercer	0	0	0	2	1	6	22	0
Mifflin	0	0	0	1	0	4	15	0
Monroe	0	1	1	1	1	20	16	1
Montgomery	0	8	2	12	7	34	43	1
Montour	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Northampton	1	2	3	8	17	51	54	4
Northumberland	0	3	0	1	1	18	29	0
Perry	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	0
Philadelphia	1	5	7	412	115	341	321	9
Pike	0	1	0	0	1	8	11	0
Potter	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0
Schuylkill	0	3	1	6	17	19	26	0
Snyder	0	2	0	0	1	3	11	0
Somerset	0	1	1	2	1	7	17	0
Sullivan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Susquehanna	0	0	0	0	1	11	4	0
Tioga	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Union	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	1
Venango	0	0	0	1	2	10	16	0
Warren	0	0	0	0	1	13	12	0
Washington	0	3	1	5	10	30	36	3
Wayne	0	0	0	2	0	5	6	2
Westmoreland	0	1	0	6	15	23	23	2
Wyoming	0	1	0	0	2	4	2	0
York	0	2	0	12	15	35	25	2
Federal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	14	108	36	647	435	1,565	1,940	78

* Only includes 3rd degree, unspecified murder and attempted murder.

TABLE 3.5

Number of Sentenced Prisoners Released from County Prisons and Jails During 1988 by Selected Part II Offenses

COUNTY	OTHER ASSAULTS	FRAUDS	RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY	NARC. DRUG LAWS	DRUNKEN DRIVING	DRUNKENNESS	DISORDERLY CONDUCT	CRIMINAL MISCHIEF
Adams	5	8	0	15	87	2	8	2
Allegheny	122	55	22	158	1,208	24	100	40
Armstrong	1	1	3	8	22	0	1	0
Beaver	6	2	7	10	134	3	2	3
Bedford	3	8	0	5	57	8	7	4
Berks	37	15	14	97	114	3	5	0
Blair	25	5	16	25	185	12	15	13
Bradford	7	0	2	4	41	1	0	2
Bucks	65	5	31	90	922	0	5	4
Butler	8	10	6	19	153	68	67	2
Cambria	11	11	10	5	57	0	5	2
Cameron	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Carbon	6	1	3	7	44	1	2	0
Centre	14	5	4	20	99	3	4	1
Chester	64	22	19	73	409	8	20	24
Clarion	1	4	0	2	27	1	6	5
Clearfield	23	8	5	7	146	5	12	2
Clinton	8	3	1	1	61	0	7	0
Columbia	7	3	1	5	36	1	2	5
Crawford	11	23	5	14	79	18	17	8
Cumberland	19	35	12	43	244	6	10	11
Dauphin	50	21	21	135	311	14	17	10
Delaware	42	4	10	152	461	13	28	3
Elk	6	4	0	2	37	2	4	3
Erie	59	29	14	49	303	37	38	12
Fayette	5	9	1	8	81	14	23	5
Forest	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1
Franklin	19	10	6	23	92	40	15	7
Fulton	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greene	1	1	0	8	35	1	5	0
Huntingdon	5	1	0	0	61	1	1	0
Indiana	7	11	0	27	69	11	7	3
Jefferson	5	2	0	1	49	1	3	1
Juniata	0	0	0	2	9	0	0	0
Lackawanna	8	0	9	26	80	0	1	0
Lancaster	11	2	2	43	192	11	2	4
Lawrence	11	0	3	6	78	0	2	1
Lebanon	21	8	5	46	149	0	6	1
Lehigh	15	4	11	49	138	0	2	3
Luzerne	18	3	5	9	198	2	11	4
Lycoming	30	8	2	54	307	3	11	8
McKean	6	1	0	7	25	0	3	1
Mercer	14	10	2	4	109	4	14	18
Mifflin	6	1	0	8	41	0	3	3
Monroe	6	4	5	14	32	1	6	1
Montgomery	9	10	1	46	454	0	6	1
Montour	2	1	1	7	2	0	2	1
Northampton	21	5	6	72	194	15	29	11
Northumberland	29	11	3	11	86	6	26	19
Perry	1	3	0	4	20	0	2	0
Philadelphia	71	5	17	312	239	1	8	2
Pike	6	2	0	2	22	0	2	0
Potter	3	0	1	0	13	0	6	1
Schuylkill	6	3	5	22	80	1	8	8
Snyder	3	3	0	10	39	0	4	2
Somerset	7	9	3	7	57	1	10	4
Sullivan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Susquehanna	8	3	2	5	15	0	3	3
Tioga	2	0	0	1	29	2	3	0
Union	4	0	0	5	35	0	1	0
Venango	15	15	3	7	90	17	11	6
Warren	8	7	2	0	49	7	7	3
Washington	23	9	16	30	120	5	20	7
Wayne	5	3	3	2	12	1	2	1
Westmoreland	9	7	9	30	219	4	10	7
Wyoming	7	1	0	6	15	0	0	1
York	40	15	6	64	346	21	13	5
Federal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	**1,069**	**469**	**335**	**1,925**	**9,123**	**400**	**670**	**299**

TABLE 3.6

Average Days Served by Sentenced Prisoners Released from County Prisons and Jails During 1988 by Part I Offense

COUNTY	MURDER*	MANSLAUGHTER	FORCIBLE RAPE	ROBBERY	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT	BURGLARY	THEFT	ARSON
Adams	0.0	30.0	0.0	105.0	811.0	202.9	286.6	0.0
Allegheny	0.0	231.6	350.0	191.0	125.9	128.2	77.5	169.0
Armstrong	0.0	0.0	0.0	183.0	243.0	134.7	136.9	183.0
Beaver	0.0	100.0	0.0	0.0	201.5	183.0	169.5	0.0
Bedford	0.0	616.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	81.3	23.0	310.5
Berks	0.0	419.2	0.0	293.3	241.0	345.2	193.2	151.0
Blair	0.0	71.3	0.0	319.5	246.4	181.9	142.7	308.0
Bradford	0.0	614.0	0.0	420.0	364.0	130.7	401.9	0.0
Bucks	362.0	489.9	450.4	208.9	226.7	257.5	164.6	197.5
Butler	0.0	0.0	0.0	242.0	189.3	164.2	64.2	142.0
Cambria	2,348.0	642.0	0.0	297.3	274.5	377.2	139.5	549.0
Cameron	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Carbon	0.0	304.0	0.0	550.5	247.5	348.6	124.1	0.0
Centre	531.0	0.0	0.0	122.0	148.3	247.0	158.2	156.0
Chester	0.0	590.7	685.3	348.9	208.6	129.6	142.9	236.0
Clarion	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	183.0	528.8	127.3	0.0
Clearfield	0.0	0.0	0.0	443.5	347.0	192.6	79.5	64.5
Clinton	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	373.0	55.4	0.0
Columbia	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	730.0	313.3	130.2	0.0
Crawford	0.0	297.0	0.0	0.0	120.0	103.4	47.7	132.0
Cumberland	0.0	583.0	354.0	276.1	234.5	248.2	193.1	0.0
Dauphin	0.0	242.8	0.0	198.9	213.9	196.2	131.1	315.3
Delaware	0.0	353.4	852.0	483.3	227.2	335.2	236.8	577.7
Elk	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	243.0	15.5	69.4	0.0
Erie	0.0	177.0	259.0	149.0	179.6	113.9	67.5	7.0
Fayette	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	121.5	64.3	61.5	93.0
Forest	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	51.0	0.0
Franklin	0.0	0.0	0.0	630.5	309.7	168.8	189.8	0.0
Fulton	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	45.0	0.0
Greene	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	243.5	127.6	0.0
Huntingdon	0.0	548.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	50.0	153.8	0.0
Indiana	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	141.0	129.3	96.1	0.0
Jefferson	0.0	0.0	0.0	957.0	260.0	225.8	102.9	0.0
Juniata	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	213.0	0.0	0.0
Lackawanna	0.0	366.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	253.9	190.7	258.8
Lancaster	183.0	0.0	183.0	170.4	150.1	176.7	134.4	299.3
Lawrence	0.0	0.0	0.0	189.0	91.5	95.4	76.0	0.0
Lebanon	195.0	0.0	0.0	285.5	208.5	398.1	291.9	393.5
Lehigh	0.0	193.5	0.0	264.5	209.7	284.2	171.0	0.0
Luzerne	1,825.0	508.8	821.0	465.4	417.0	386.7	307.0	266.7
Lycoming	142.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	131.4	123.6	76.7	177.0
McKean	0.0	207.0	0.0	0.0	145.8	99.5	48.0	0.0
Mercer	0.0	0.0	0.0	45.0	169.0	82.7	70.2	0.0
Mifflin	0.0	0.0	0.0	168.0	0.0	100.0	68.6	0.0
Monroe	0.0	228.0	434.0	174.0	350.0	200.1	173.1	177.0
Montgomery	0.0	425.8	578.0	272.7	195.6	255.9	166.8	76.0
Montour	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	361.0	0.0
Northampton	913.0	228.5	639.0	424.1	234.6	352.4	223.7	296.5
Northumberland	0.0	320.3	0.0	350.0	274.0	227.0	151.6	0.0
Perry	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	53.5	59.3	0.0
Philadelphia	608.0	214.0	251.1	261.2	241.0	217.7	190.6	253.0
Pike	0.0	183.0	0.0	0.0	350.0	32.6	103.5	0.0
Potter	0.0	274.0	0.0	0.0	183.0	0.0	29.5	0.0
Schuylkill	0.0	416.0	327.0	542.2	236.6	272.3	164.0	0.0
Snyder	0.0	395.5	0.0	0.0	106.0	128.3	87.8	0.0
Somerset	0.0	61.0	910.0	312.0	214.0	269.4	108.8	0.0
Sullivan	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Susquehanna	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	183.0	231.0	61.0	0.0
Tioga	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	253.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
Union	0.0	100.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.5	30.0	220.0
Venango	0.0	0.0	0.0	219.0	106.0	241.9	73.8	0.0
Warren	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	156.0	216.2	156.2	0.0
Washington	0.0	347.7	810.0	197.8	190.7	234.6	98.5	295.0
Wayne	0.0	0.0	0.0	468.5	0.0	98.0	168.0	416.5
Westmoreland	0.0	122.0	0.0	123.3	117.7	125.5	90.9	91.5
Wyoming	0.0	183.0	0.0	0.0	183.0	247.0	137.0	0.0
York	0.0	205.5	0.0	309.6	248.1	234.5	184.4	315.5
Federal	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
STATE AVERAGE	**621.3**	**374.3**	**481.8**	**275.8**	**216.2**	**220.2**	**153.2**	**255.2**

* Only includes 3rd degree, unspecified murder and attempted murder.

TABLE 3.7
Average Days Served by Sentenced Prisoners Released from County Prisons and Jails During 1988
by Selected Part II Offenses

COUNTY NAME	OTHER ASSAULTS	FRAUDS	RECEIVING STOLEN PROPERTY	NARCOTIC DRUG LAWS	DRUNKEN DRIVING	DRUNKENNESS	DISORDERLY CONDUCT	CRIMINAL MISCHIEF
Adams	170.4	14.4	0.0	160.5	52.3	3.0	11.5	2.0
Allegheny	40.1	31.8	156.8	108.0	10 8	30.5	25.5	29.6
Armstrong	350.0	30.0	90.0	110.3	50.5	0.0	5.0	0.0
Beaver	171.8	72.5	86.6	127.2	38.8	33.0	32.5	171.7
Bedford	50.3	14.8	0.0	194.4	18.6	8.4	8.1	12.5
Berks	186.5	210.6	185.6	201.7	27.5	117.3	35.2	0.00
Blair	120.4	78.6	214.3	241.3	29.0	6.8	32.7	40.5
Bradford	179.3	0.0	76.0	366.0	48.5	4.0	0.0	43.0
Bucks	172.7	47.0	150.2	169.8	25.8	0.0	104.4	36.5
Butler	79.4	32.8	138.5	108.4	29.1	2.3	5.4	1.0
Cambria	134.5	267.8	201.2	310.8	45.7	0.0	114.6	173.0
Cameron	0.0	0.0	0.0	243.0	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Carbon	300.2	173.0	437.0	111.7	34.4	4.0	83.0	0.0
Centre	79.4	196.8	124.0	142.3	57.9	48.7	37.3	291.0
Chester	133.8	94.6	180.3	237.6	29.3	11.4	20.6	22.0
Clarion	2.0	22.5	0.0	410.0	24.4	75.0	46.2	13.2
Clearfield	82.7	22.5	103.4	123.0	39.1	14.6	26.0	46.5
Clinton	36.1	21.7	106.0	183.0	27.8	0.0	24.4	0.0
Columbia	142.9	140.3	45.0	147.8	113.1	90.0	32.0	53.0
Crawford	42.1	37.4	77.4	120.3	24.2	22.2	16.2	26.3
Cumberland	82.7	44.7	163.3	104.6	31.9	41.3	97.0	79.5
Dauphin	112.2	70.4	168.8	167.1	46.7	23.7	50.9	19.1
Delaware	179.4	110.8	237.8	175.3	31.8	54.7	48.6	149.3
Elk	38.5	5.0	0.0	76.0	21.7	10.0	46.5	28.0
Erie	80.8	38.8	83.1	92.4	39.1	15.5	12.8	27.7
Fayette	31.6	19.6	55.0	148.4	12.5	12.0	18.8	11.6
Forest	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.0	0.0	0.0	199.0
Franklin	68.8	20.3	74.2	295.7	77.6	19.6	38.5	136.1
Fulton	83.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Greene	183.0	14.0	0.0	214.8	33.9	10.0	21.0	0.0
Huntingdon	60.6	14.0	0.0	0.0	19.9	60.0	60.0	0.0
Indiana	85.3	37.7	0.0	90.0	42.0	12.3	21.6	128.0
Jefferson	201.0	68.5	0.0	7.0	41.9	10.0	70.3	54.0
Juniata	0.0	0.0	0.0	76.0	42.4	0.0	0.0	0.0
Lackawanna	181.3	0.0	253.2	215.8	55.7	0.0	30.0	0.0
Lancaster	78.8	12.5	152.5	232.3	40.1	49.5	21.5	11.0
Lawrence	85.8	0.0	81.7	135.2	46.6	0.0	31.0	4.0
Lebanon	128.0	92.5	182.6	200.2	72.8	0.0	105.2	6.0
Lehigh	280.5	136.3	182.4	182.9	39.1	0.0	152.5	131.7
Luzerne	147.2	50.3	174.0	102.1	22.5	57.5	55.3	98.8
Lycoming	102.1	83.0	124.0	133.7	16.7	8.0	24.7	62.1
McKean	52.8	11.0	0.0	131.9	35.4	0.0	49.7	49.0
Mercer	78.1	70.4	146.0	42.3	25.9	4.8	31.5	42.0
Mifflin	59.0	29.0	0.0	103.9	85.1	0.0	49.3	107.0
Monroe	167.7	91.0	123.0	146.6	56.6	90.0	58.3	79.0
Montgomery	140.1	214.5	152.0	139.0	12.7	0.0	27.0	90.0
Montour	106.5	185.0	365.0	84.0	198.0	0.0	77.5	45.0
Northampton	59.8	56.6	131.7	215.2	41.4	7.0	13.6	128.7
Northumberland	106.4	50.3	206.3	142.3	42.1	57.7	86.0	26.5
Perry	15.0	7.3	0.0	37.3	39.7	0.0	5.0	0.0
Philadelphia	182.3	121.4	222.2	196.5	55.6	20.0	48.0	70.5
Pike	83.5	3.0	0.0	76.0	56.7	0.0	1.0	0.0
Potter	84.3	0.0	60.0	0.0	15.3	0.0	10.8	36.0
Schuylkill	53.3	39.3	167.8	186.0	29.6	15.0	45.3	57.4
Snyder	106.3	125.0	0.0	165.8	23.2	0.0	9.3	36.5
Somerset	109.9	22.6	250.3	70.0	47.6	15.0	43.3	175.5
Sullivan	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Susquehanna	55.8	78.3	76.5	173.2	23.9	0.0	11.0	6.3
Tioga	42.0	0.0	0.0	183.0	40.9	6.5	21.3	0.0
Union	97.5	0.0	0.0	91.6	13.4	0.0	5.0	0.0
Venango	57.8	20.3	48.7	86.6	19.8	6.5	11.2	19.7
Warren	254.8	62.9	322.5	0.0	77.7	15.0	44.9	146.0
Washington	111.6	26.6	172.8	132.9	43.2	7.00	12.6	36.9
Wayne	220.2	1.0	76.0	176.0	35.0	1.0	89.5	180.0
Westmoreland	55.9	74.6	121.9	136.1	26.5	17.3	25.8	45.1
Wyoming	186.0	2.0	0.0	266.2	37.6	0.0	0.0	5.0
York	111.7	76.8	172.0	188.1	24.5	27.4	39.9	40.0
Federal	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0 0	0.0
STATE AVERAGE	**115.7**	**64.6**	**164.3**	**170.1**	**31.0**	**19.1**	**31.6**	**51.6**

TABLE 3.8

Distribution of Time Served by Sentenced Prisoners Released from County Prisons and Jails During 1988
Part I and Part II Offenses

OFFENSE CLASSIFICATION	1 - 15 DAYS	16 - 30 DAYS	31 - 60 DAYS	61 - 90 DAYS	91 - 179 DAYS	180 TO 364 DAYS	365 DAYS AND OVER	TOTAL RELEASED	AVERAGE DAYS SERVED
Part I Offenses:									
Murder (Gen 3rd Degree)	0	0	0	1	1	5	7	14	621.3
Manslaughter	3	3	0	3	11	49	39	108	374.3
Forcible Rape	0	0	1	1	3	14	17	36	481.8
Robbery	4	22	16	34	143	282	146	647	275.8
Aggravated Assault	22	26	14	29	98	191	55	435	216.2
Burglary	122	68	86	106	409	543	231	1,565	220.2
Theft	219	180	163	204	521	501	152	1,940	153.2
Arson	5	1	3	4	20	29	16	78	255.2
TOTAL PART I	375	300	283	382	1,206	1,614	663	4,823	207.5*
Part II Offenses:									
Other Assaults	211	145	112	112	257	180	52	1,069	115.7
Forgery	13	18	13	11	35	53	17	160	191.3
Frauds	218	60	43	36	62	40	10	469	64.6
Receiving Stolen Property	21	22	25	39	99	98	31	335	164.3
Weapons	8	12	7	14	43	39	10	133	161.0
Other Sex Offenses	16	36	32	32	87	100	32	335	190.0
Narcotic Drug Law	128	134	119	200	579	617	148	1,925	170.1
Non-Support	255	112	71	35	46	42	3	564	46.6
Driving While Intoxicated	5,063	2,089	612	524	595	169	71	9,123	31.0
Other Motor Vehicle Violations	469	199	109	324	103	15	4	1,223	46.1
Liquor Laws	134	42	15	5	10	1	0	207	19.6
Drunkeness (Except DWI)	283	63	23	17	11	3	0	400	19.1
Disorderly Conduct	367	141	66	40	36	19	1	670	31.6
Criminal Mischief	121	49	49	37	23	17	3	299	51.6
Corruption of Minors	8	7	9	7	33	28	24	116	246.4
Criminal Conspiracy	13	16	15	8	51	44	22	169	179.9
Prison Breach	13	25	11	9	39	28	12	137	149.4
County/Local Ordinances	24	6	5	1	1	1	0	38	23.4
Contempt of Court	252	81	39	24	37	31	1	465	38.3
Violation of Probation	23	24	29	26	81	70	21	274	153.0
Other Part II Offenses	144	75	53	46	82	61	20	481	94.1
TOTAL PART II	7,784	3,356	1,457	1,547	2,310	1,656	482	18,592	67.3**
ALL RELEASES	8,159	3,656	1,740	1,929	3,516	3,270	1,145	23,415	96.2***

* Average days served for all Part I Offenses
** Average days served for all Part II Offenses
*** Average days served for all Offenses

TABLE 3.9

Time Served Distribution of Sentenced Prisoners Released from County Prisons and Jails During 1988 by Committing County

COUNTY	1-15 DAYS	16-30 DAYS	31-60 DAYS	61-90 DAYS	91-179 DAYS	180-364 DAYS	365 DAYS & OVER	TOTAL RELEASED	AVERAGE DAYS SERVED
Adams	60	33	13	11	37	21	13	188	99.2
Allegheny	1,407	295	95	145	134	165	3	2,244	38.5
Armstrong	15	13	2	9	18	17	1	75	94.4
Beaver	63	39	32	19	39	32	3	227	80.5
Bedford	92	20	6	7	4	8	2	139	42.1
Berks	67	53	49	46	171	137	63	586	167.2
Blair	199	57	25	35	51	54	23	444	87.6
Bradford	24	17	5	7	11	10	11	85	139.5
Bucks	794	128	98	131	287	212	74	1,724	86.5
Butler	238	91	13	29	29	17	2	419	36.4
Cambria	26	26	27	26	29	39	27	200	202.6
Cameron	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	3	101.0
Carbon	27	21	6	20	17	17	14	122	133.2
Centre	79	52	39	32	33	27	15	277	90.5
Chester	346	137	113	81	169	167	55	1,068	107.6
Clarion	23	19	3	8	3	8	2	66	89.6
Clearfield	99	53	49	33	38	21	6	299	64.8
Clinton	32	45	9	18	5	4	1	114	48.3
Columbia	26	12	10	6	14	24	7	99	127.1
Crawford	142	78	37	23	47	18	0	345	44.6
Cumberland	204	86	42	29	107	59	27	554	88.6
Dauphin	245	149	89	88	157	186	28	942	103.5
Delaware	276	204	45	101	186	172	108	1,092	135.0
Elk	29	31	8	4	3	2	0	77	32.8
Erie	372	138	97	71	151	56	5	890	55.1
Fayette	128	33	12	5	10	3	0	191	23.1
Forest	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	5	56.6
Franklin	83	69	47	30	43	39	26	337	105.2
Fulton	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	4	64.3
Greene	32	15	5	5	9	5	6	77	73.7
Huntingdon	45	19	6	3	5	3	2	83	45.4
Indiana	84	30	22	19	30	11	4	200	60.0
Jefferson	19	24	7	10	16	10	5	91	102.2
Juniata	2	6	1	1	1	3	0	14	68.6
Lackawanna	35	26	10	14	35	27	28	175	140.8
Lancaster	152	108	41	70	69	88	2	530	80.3
Lawrence	9	52	35	21	25	10	2	154	70.8
Lebanon	111	105	28	35	54	58	37	428	125.6
Lehigh	45	81	28	34	72	67	28	355	134.4
Luzerne	187	89	23	12	48	46	47	452	115.1
Lycoming	277	80	44	71	52	39	4	567	50.3
McKean	25	20	13	10	6	10	0	84	59.5
Mercer	89	53	37	19	25	9	0	232	43.1
Mifflin	13	10	19	27	16	6	0	91	78.9
Monroe	45	31	9	14	38	30	5	172	103.5
Montgomery	363	84	12	47	86	103	12	707	74.4
Montour	1	9	2	1	5	5	1	24	114.4
Northampton	195	118	33	57	84	87	65	639	126.9
Northumberland	95	46	35	28	49	38	20	311	94.5
Perry	27	14	4	7	5	0	0	57	31.1
Philadelphia	250	118	126	163	567	749	259	2,232	186.0
Pike	38	13	1	8	14	8	0	82	55.4
Potter	21	10	6	2	0	3	0	42	34.6
Schuylkill	64	46	22	24	38	48	17	259	123.7
Snyder	41	13	6	4	9	12	2	87	67.9
Somerset	67	32	11	7	19	19	7	162	85.9
Sullivan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Susquehanna	28	8	8	6	13	9	1	73	77.6
Tioga	10	14	11	8	3	1	1	48	50.5
Union	28	9	1	7	11	1	0	57	39.8
Venango	111	62	13	10	14	10	3	223	44.6
Warren	50	29	5	8	44	13	10	159	99.1
Washington	102	72	41	36	69	44	21	385	98.1
Wayne	21	3	6	6	14	6	4	60	119.6
Westmoreland	149	132	20	43	48	47	2	441	58.6
Wyoming	4	9	5	3	6	9	7	43	136.4
York	225	164	70	75	121	119	27	801	94.7
Federal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
TOTAL	8,159	3,656	1,740	1,929	3,516	3,270	1,145	23,415	96.2

TABLE 3.10

Number of County Prisoners on Work Release on December 31, 1987 and 1988

	1987		1988	
COUNTY	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL POP.	NUMBER	PERCENT OF TOTAL POP.
Adams	20	37.0	27	36.5%
Allegheny	80	8.6	72	7.2%
Armstrong	3	7.3	12	37.5%
Beaver	29	22.1	27	21.3%
Bedford	6	17.6	5	10.0%
Berks	22	5.8	35	6.8%
Blair	28	17.9	19	11.4%
Bradford	2	5.0	5	8.9%
Bucks	140	26.1	143	25.1%
Butler	14	14.4	0	0.0%
Cambria	29	23.6	4	4.0%
Cameron	1	33.3	0	0.0%
Carbon	8	17.8	4	8.3%
Centre	19	29.7	8	17.8%
Chester	20	4.4	28	6.1%
Clarion	10	33.3	6	30.0%
Clearfield	10	7.7	10	8.3%
Clinton	4	14.8	0	0.0%
Columbia	13	22.4	9	14.8%
Crawford	16	27.6	19	30.0%
Cumberland	29	15.2	47	24.6%
Dauphin	28	7.0	5	1.2%
Delaware	15	2.7	25	3.3%
Elk	4	44.4	3	30.0%
Erie	20	8.7	29	11.9%
Fayette	0	0.0	0	0.0%
Forest	0	0.0	0	0.0%
Franklin	40	41.7	46	43.8%
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	6	23.1	4	11.4%
Huntingdon	8	23.5	6	15.0%
Indiana	8	15.1	7	14.9%
Jefferson	1	2.2	10	19.0%
Juniata	8	50.0	8	32.0%
Lackawanna	32	17.7	15	9.0%
Lancaster	92	24.2	37	8.7%
Lawrence	11	17.2	36	31.9%
Lebanon	56	32.9	57	30.3%
Lehigh	38	10.3	54	12.4%
Luzerne	15	6.7	17	6.0%
Lycoming	41	29.9	39	26.5%
McKean	2	11.1	2	9.1%
Mercer	4	6.3	2	2.6%
Mifflin	14	43.8	8	23.5%
Monroe	10	14.1	6	5.0%
Montgomery	63	10.9	66	9.0%
Montour	3	10.0	5	16.7%
Northampton	39	13.9	75	21.9%
Northumberland	29	20.9	32	24.2%
Perry	0	0.0	0	0.0%
Philadelphia	108	2.8	186	4.3%
Pike	5	27.8	5	35.7%
Potter	0	0.0	0	0.0%
Schuylkill	13	10.6	14	11.0%
Snyder	5	25.0	3	13.6%
Somerset	8	15.7	10	17.9%
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	4	23.5	5	29.4%
Tioga	1	6.3	4	28.6%
Union	5	35.7	5	25.0%
Venango	8	17.8	5	15.6%
Warren	8	11.3	15	18.3%
Washington	12	9.8	37	29.1%
Wayne	7	25.9	2	8.3%
Westmoreland	10	9.3	23	26.4%
Wyoming	6	17.1	0	0.0%
York	46	13.6	39	8.7%
TOTAL	**1,336**	**10.4**	**1,427**	**9.9%**

TABLE 3.11
Reported Escapes from County Prisons and Jails, 1984 to 1988

COUNTY	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988
Adams	2	2	5	3	5
Allegheny	0	0	0	0	0
Armstrong	0	1	0	1	0
Beaver	0	0	1	3	1
Bedford	0	0	3	0	3
Berks	3	9	3	5	4
Blair	0	3	0	2	3
Bradford	1	0	0	0	1
Bucks/Rehab Center	0/4	1/4	0/25	0/35	0/27
Butler	0	0	0	0	1
Cambria	0	0	3	0	0
Cameron	0	0	0	0	0
Carbon	1	2	1	2	0
Centre	0	0	0	1	0
Chester	0	0	0	0	0
Clarion	0	0	1	0	0
Clearfield	1	0	0	1	0
Clinton	2	0	2	4	0
Columbia	0	0	0	0	1
Crawford	0	1	0	0	0
Cumberland	0	2	1	7	1
Dauphin	9	8	13	8	4
Delaware	1	0	2	0	0
Elk	0	2	0	0	0
Erie	0	1	0	0	1
Fayette	0	0	0	2	0
Forest	0	0	0	0	0
Franklin	1	5	0	4	2
Fulton	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Greene	0	0	1	1	0
Huntingdon	3	0	0	1	0
Indiana	1	0	0	0	0
Jefferson	1	0	0	1	0
Juniata	3	0	0	0	0
Lackawanna	0	0	0	0	0
Lancaster	0	0	0	0	0
Lawrence	5	0	1	0	1
Lebanon	0	1	4	0	1
Lehigh	7	5	1	1	2
Luzerne	0	3	0	0	2
Lycoming	4	3	2	3	1
McKean	0	1	0	0	0
Mercer	0	0	0	0	1
Mifflin	0	0	0	5	0
Monroe	0	0	0	0	2
Montgomery	8	0	6	18	11
Montour	0	0	0	0	0
Northampton	2	6	7	3	13
Northumberland	0	4	1	2	0
Perry	0	0	0	0	0
Philadelphia	15	12	2	17	3
Pike	0	2	0	0	0
Potter	0	1	0	0	0
Schuylkill	0	0	3	0	0
Snyder	1	1	0	0	0
Somerset	0	0	1	6	1
Sullivan	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)	(c)
Susquehanna	0	3	0	1	1
Tioga	0	0	0	1	2
Union	0	0	0	0	0
Venango	0	0	0	1	1
Warren	0	1	0	0	1
Washington	0	0	1	1	0
Wayne	0	2	2	0	0
Westmoreland	0	0	1	0	1
Wyoming	0	0	1	0	0
York	3	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	**78**	**86**	**94**	**140**	**98**

FOOTNOTES

a. Not calculated for base populations under 25 years.

b. Less than one yearly average prisoner.

c. Closed.

d. Forest County Jail is functioning only as a 48 hour holding facility. Sentenced prisoners are transferred.

TABLES 1.10 and 1.11

* Ratios for 1987 and 1988 are based on population estimates for July 1, 1988. Population estimates are produced jointly by the Pennsylvania State Data Center, Pennsylvania State University Capitol Campus, and the U.S. Bureau of the Census.